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PLANET TERRY

INTRODUCING ...
SAM SPACE,
INTERGALACTIC
PRIVATE EYE!

I USUALLY
LOVE SEAFOOD,
BUT THIS IS
RIDICULOUS!



STAR!
THE NEW
WORLD IN THE
MARVEL
UNIVERSE!

IN THIS ISSUE...

TERRY BATTLES THE
EVIL REPUGNA, AND
HER MAD MENAGERIE
OF SPACE MONSTERS!

WARREN
KREMER

PLANET TERRY

IN THE CASE OF THE WHITE-HAIRED KID

FROM THE
CASE-BOOK
OF **SAM SPACE**

"THE SUN, THAT IS, THE **SUNS** OF
BURF HAD BARELY RISEN IN THE
SOUTHWESTERN SKY WHEN THIS
STRANGE-LOOKING, WHITE-HAIRED
KID WALKS INTO MY OFFICE..."

ARE YOU
SAM SPACE,
THE FAMOUS
INTERGALACTIC
PRIVATE
INVESTIGATOR?

SAM SPACE

OUT
OF
ORDER

STAN KAY WRITER
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"HE WAS A NICE KID, BUT A LITTLE PUSHY..."

PLEASE! CAN YOU HELP ME FIND MY PARENTS?

HOLD IT, KID! I'M TIED UP ON ANOTHER CASE

"THEN MY NEPHEW, ELFIN, EXPLAINED..."

UNCLE SPACE! THIS IS PLANET TERRY! I TOLD HIM ALL ABOUT YOU!

AND DID YOU TELL HIM I'D DROP EVERYTHING WHEN HE WALKED IN?

"I'M NOT USUALLY ARROGANT, BUT I WAS WORKING ON A TOUGH CASE..."

LOOK, I'M NOT USUALLY ARROGANT BUT I'M WORKING ON A TOUGH CASE!

"THE KID LOOKED SO DISAPPOINTED, I SAID..."

TELL YOU WHAT...MY SECRETARY STARDUST WILL TAKE YOUR HISTORY!

NO!

YOU WILL LISTEN TO TERRY...NOW!

CRACK!

LOOK! I'M ALL EARS!

"RULE ONE IN THE INTERGALACTIC PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS' CODE BOOK... PAY ATTENTION TO A CLIENT WITH CLOUT!"

"I DIDN'T KNOW WHO THE BIG GREEN GUY WAS, BUT WHAT DID I HAVE TO KNOW?"

THIS IS MY FRIEND, OMNUS, MR. SPACE!

HI, OMNUS! THANKS! YOU SAVED ME A LOCKSMITH'S BILL!

THIS IS ROBOTA! SHE'S LIKE A SISTER TO ME!

GOT A SISTER FOR ME?

HEH HEH!

"THE GIRL WAS A BEAUTY! SHE HAD AN EYE FOR ME, BUT ROBOTS AREN'T MY TYPE!"

FRANKLY, THE KID'S STORY WAS SENSATIONAL! I WAS GLAD I'D DECIDED TO LISTEN!

I WAS BORN ON A CONFEDERATION COSMOS CRUISER!

YOU HAVE A SON, CAPTAIN!

THEN, MOMENTS LATER, IN A FREAK ACCIDENT, I WAS SHOT INTO SPACE!

I GREW UP ALL ALONE... EDUCATED BY THE LIFEBOAT'S LIFE-SUSTAINING SYSTEM AND SEARCHING THE GALAXIES FOR...

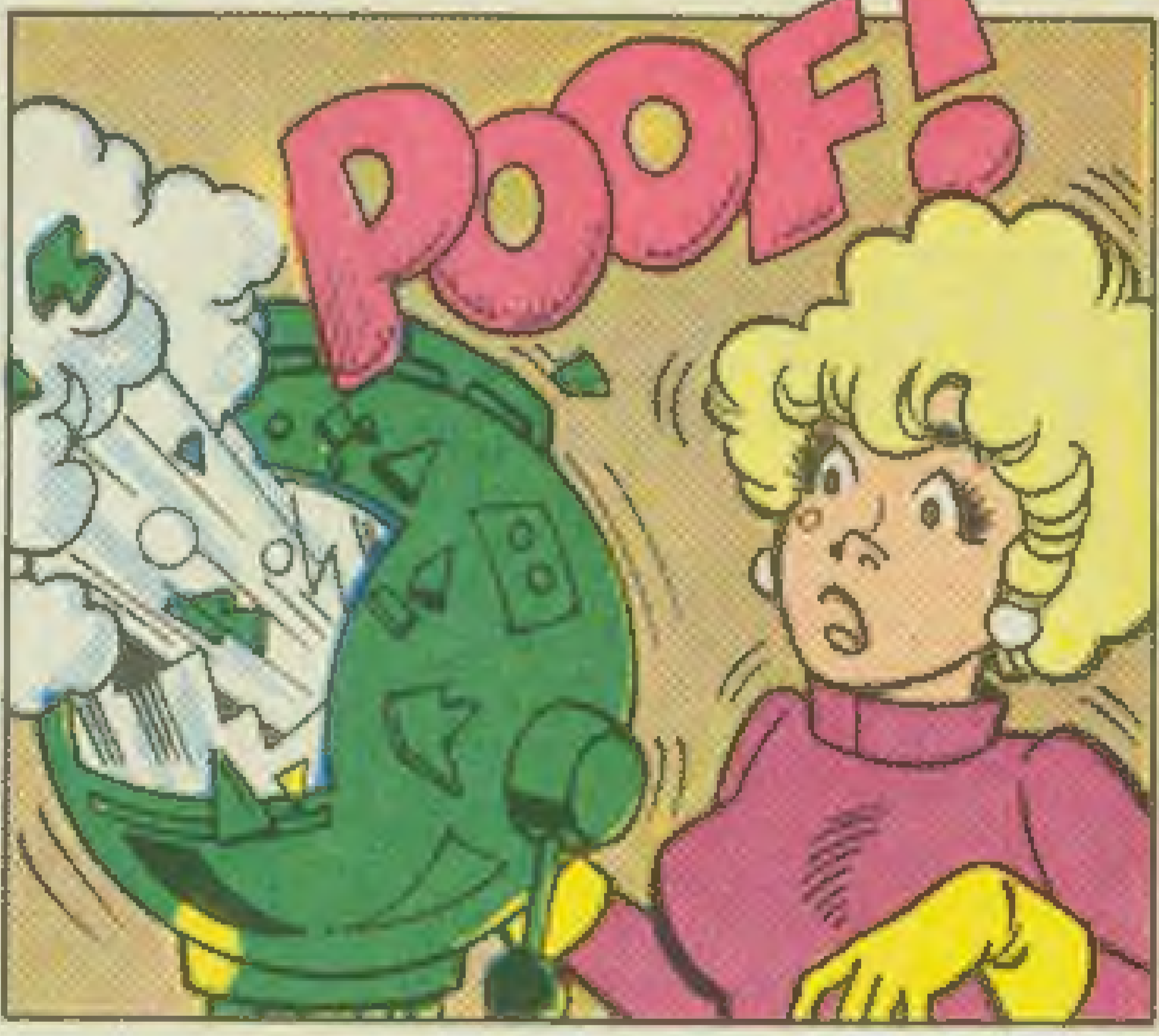
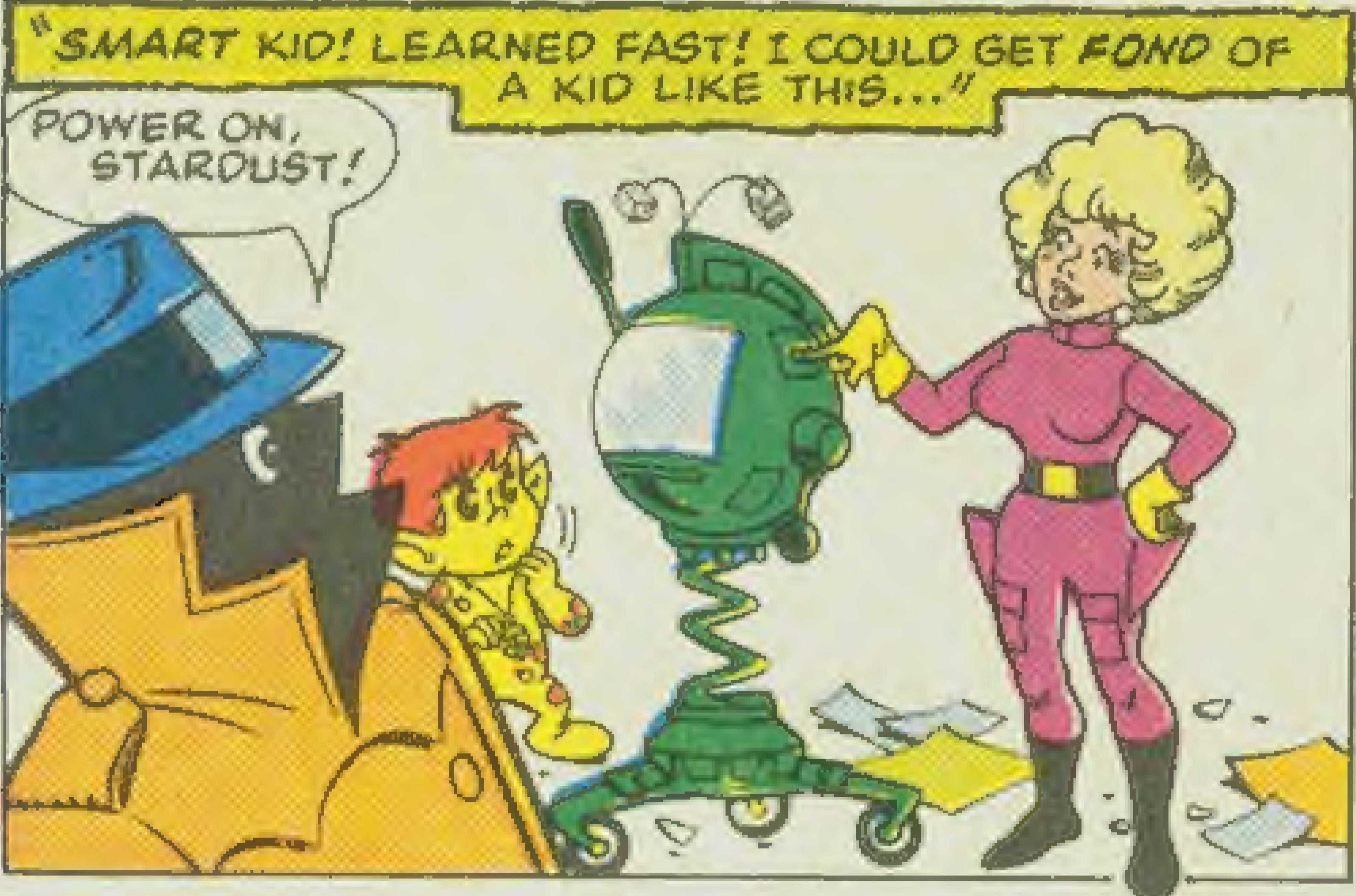
...MY MOM AND DAD!

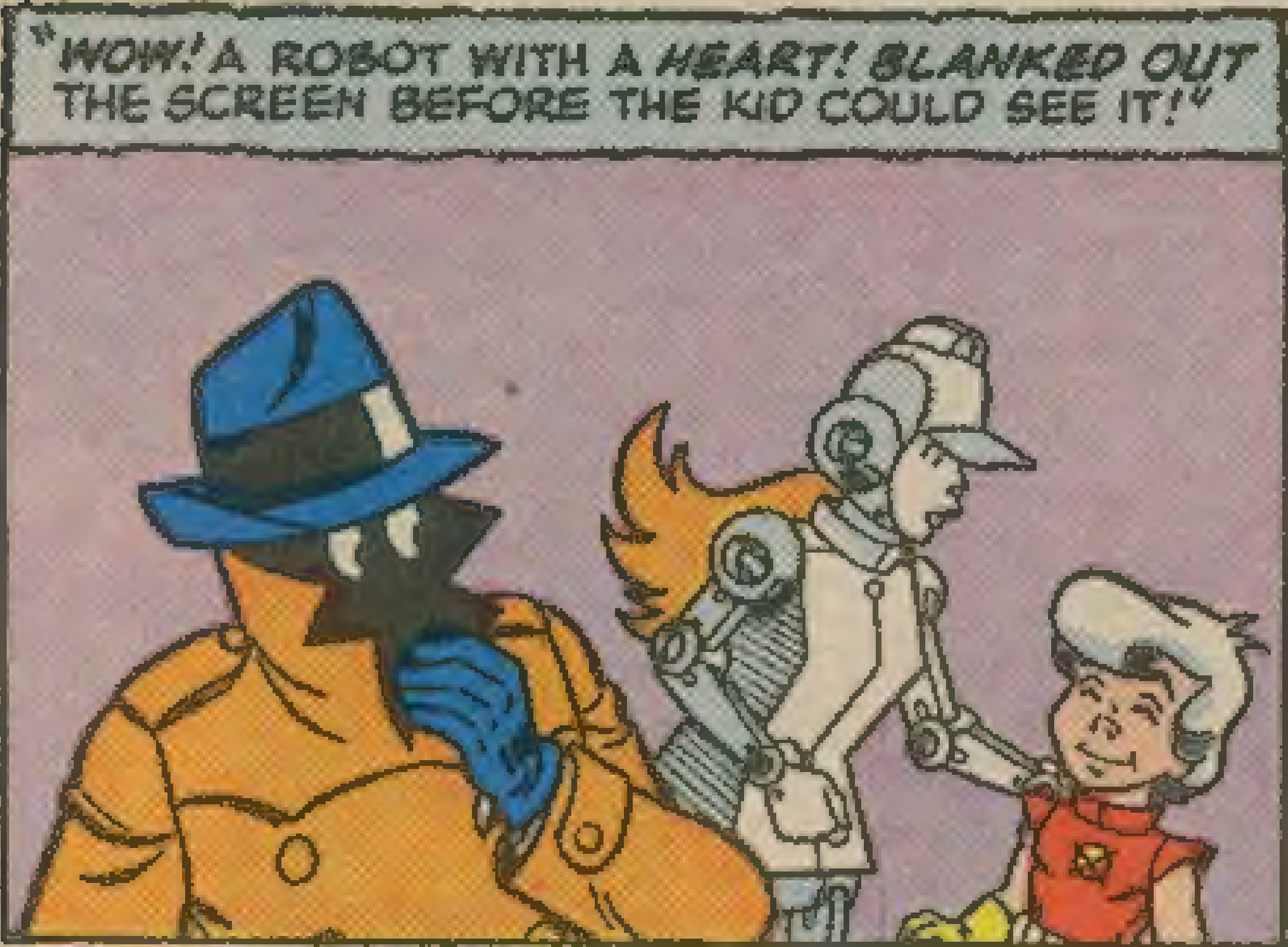
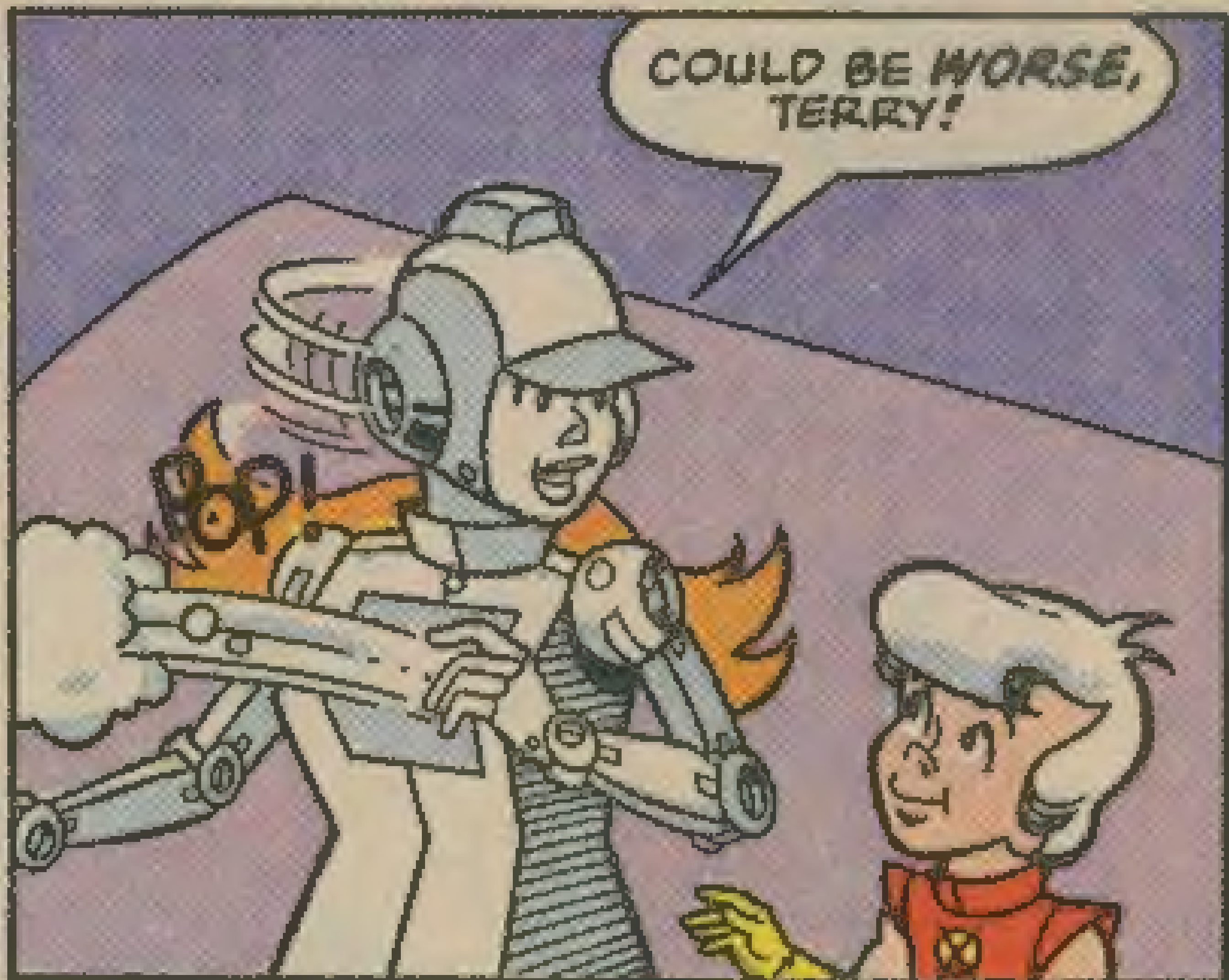
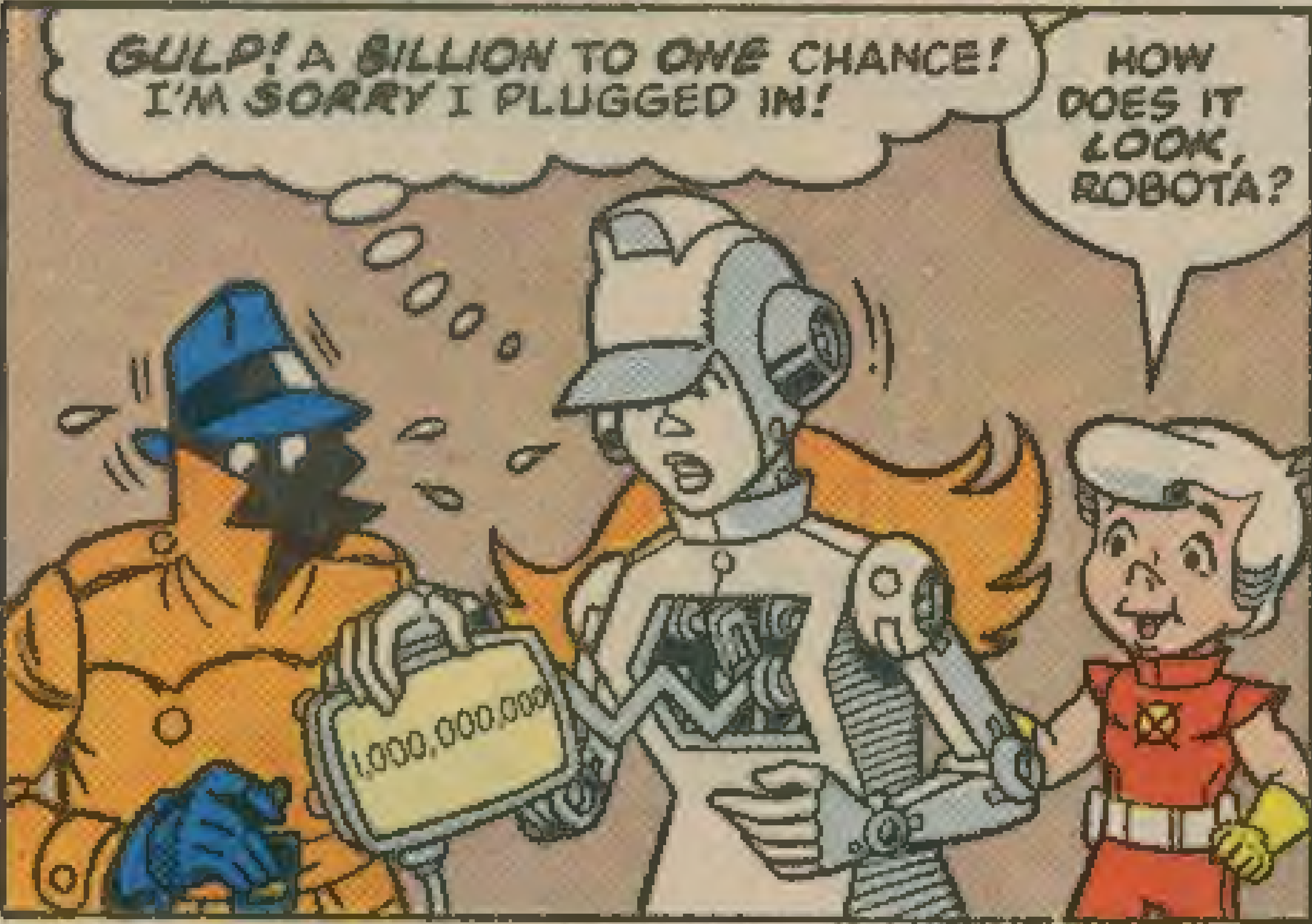
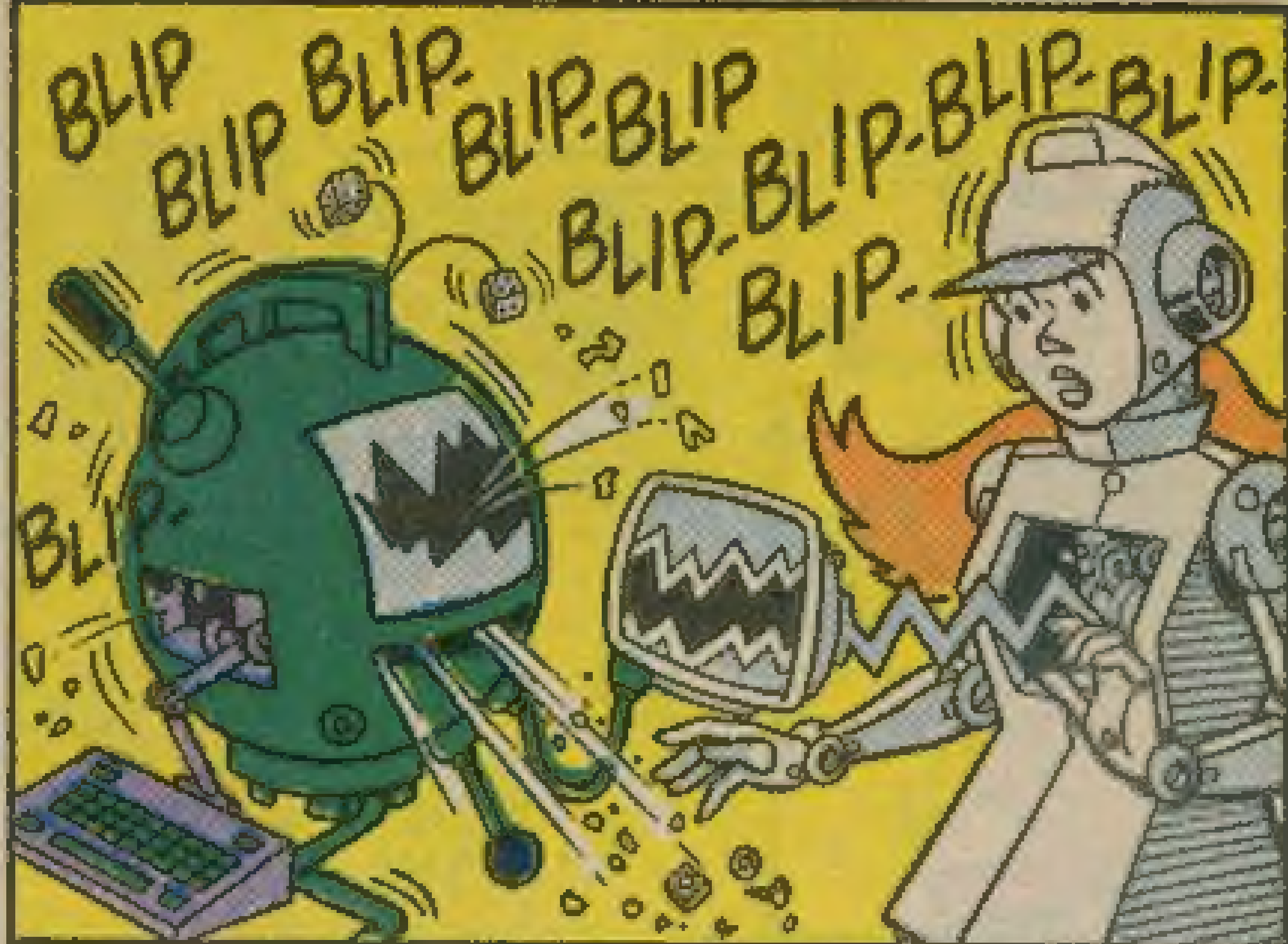
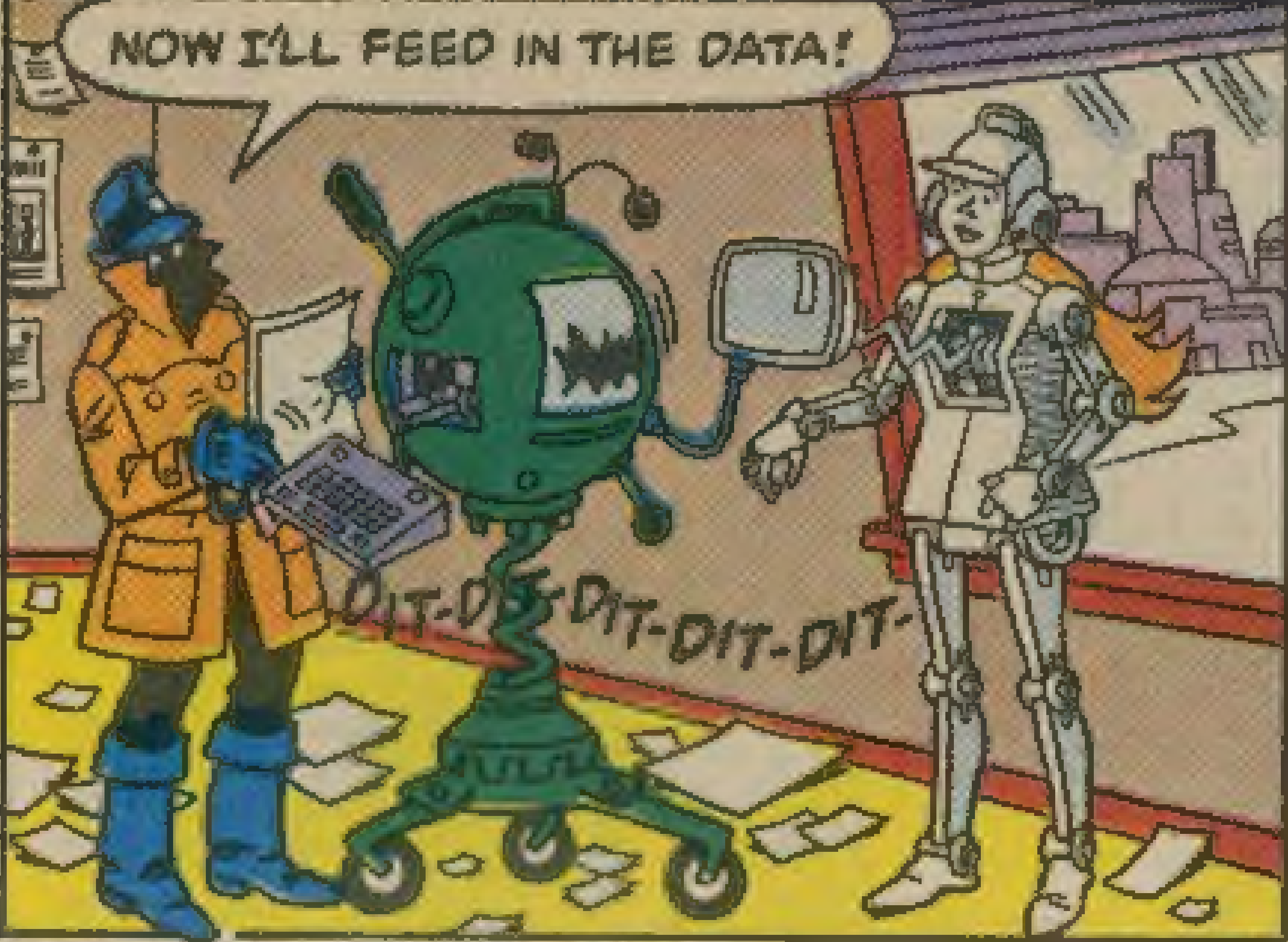
HAS ANYONE SEEN THEM?

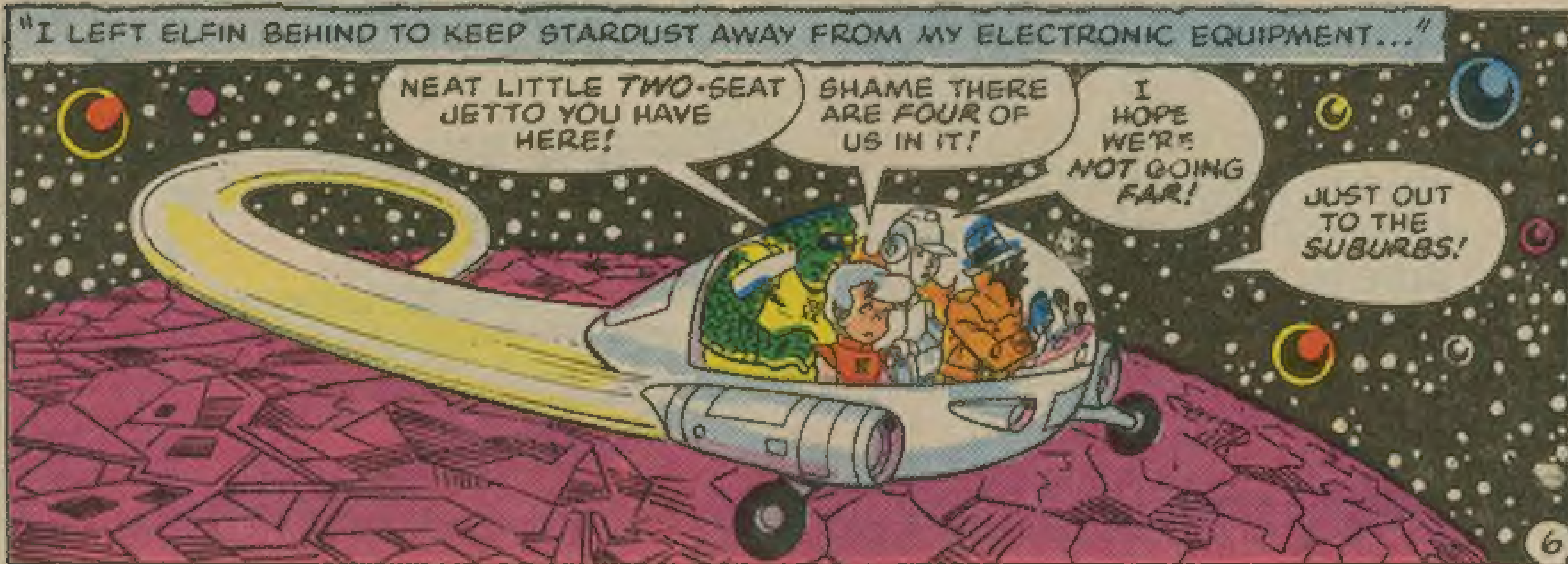
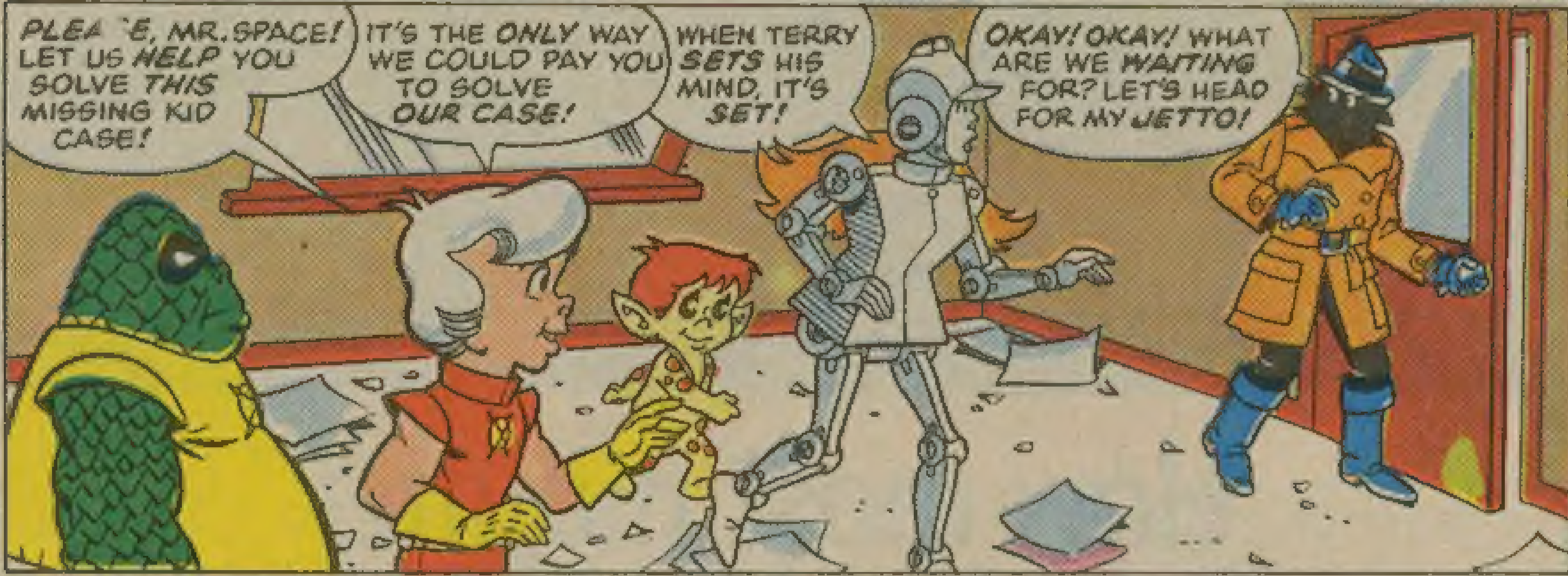
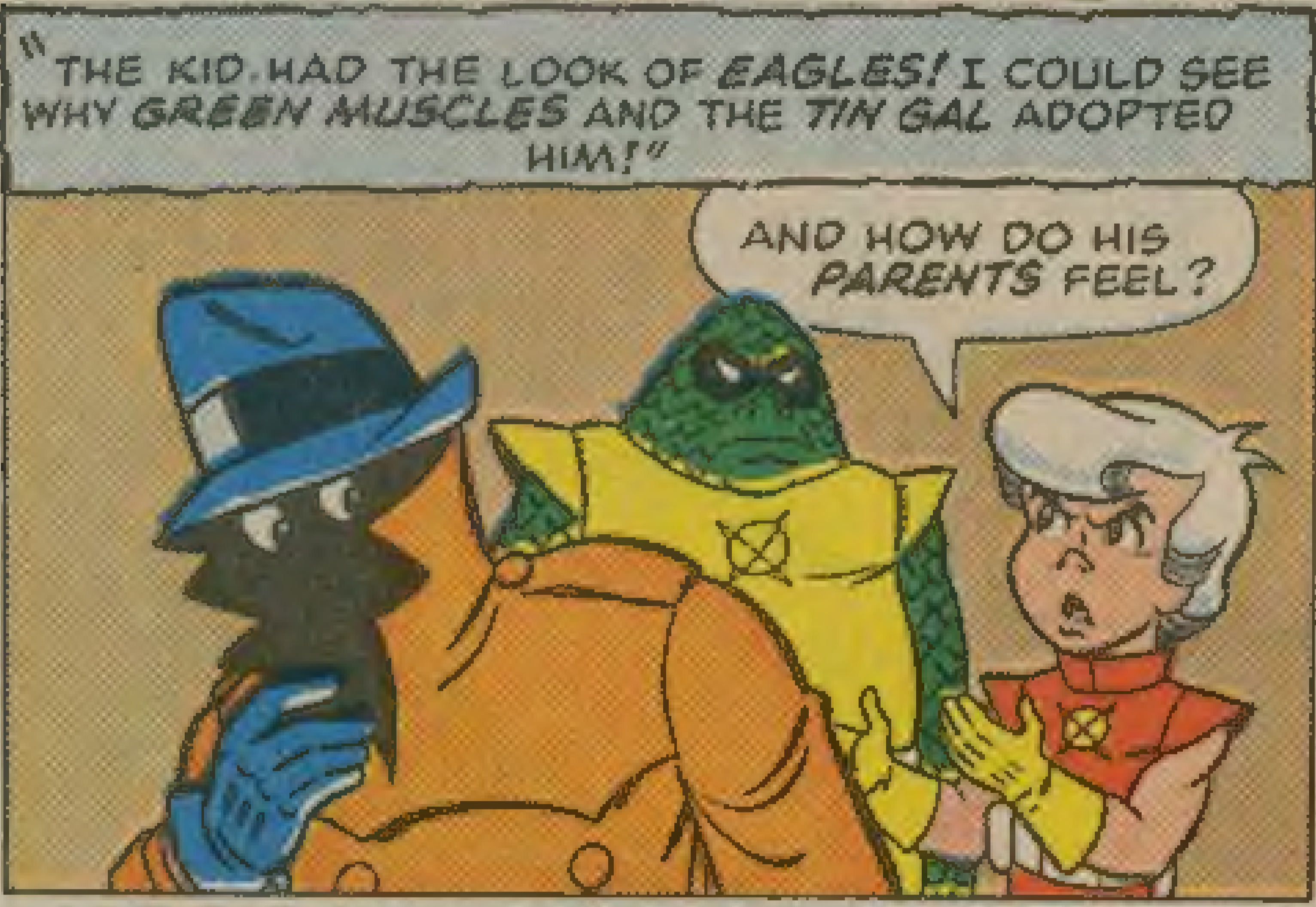
EVEN MY SECRETARY STAROUST WAS MOVED TO TEARS!

YOU POOR KID... ALL ALONE!

ALONE TILL I MET ROBOTA AND OMNUS... WHO ARE LIKE FAMILY TO ME!







THE SUBURBS?
THEN, WHY ARE
WE BLASTING
INTO SPACE?!

WHOOSH!

THWAK!

THE BURFIAN SUBURBS ARE IN ORBIT, TERRY!
THEY'RE CALLED SUBURBA-RINGS!

"NO WONDER ROBOTS AREN'T MY TYPE! THE KID
ASKS ME A QUESTION AND SHE ANSWERS IT!"

APPROACHING
THE INNER
RING!

WHO ARE
WE GOING TO
SEE?

A MAN NAMED PZ-42 CALLED ME... SAID HIS SON HAD DISAPPEARED AND HE COULDN'T CALL THE AUTHORITIES!

WHAT KIND OF NAME IS PZ-42?

I WILL TAP INTO THE BURFIAN COMPUTO RECORDS!

BURFIAN OFFICIAL NAMES ARE CODED TO SHOW ADDRESS, OCCUPATION, ETC! OUR PZ-42 IS A RESEARCH SCIENTIST!

REALLY?

I DIDN'T LIKE THE KID ASKING THE ROBOT EVERYTHING INSTEAD OF ME... BUT I HAD JUST LEARNED SOMETHING IMPORTANT...

RESEARCH SCIENTIST, HEY?

THERE'S HIS CAPSULE!

I'LL LAND ON HIS PATIO!

HMM! DINKY LITTLE SECOND-HAND JETTO!

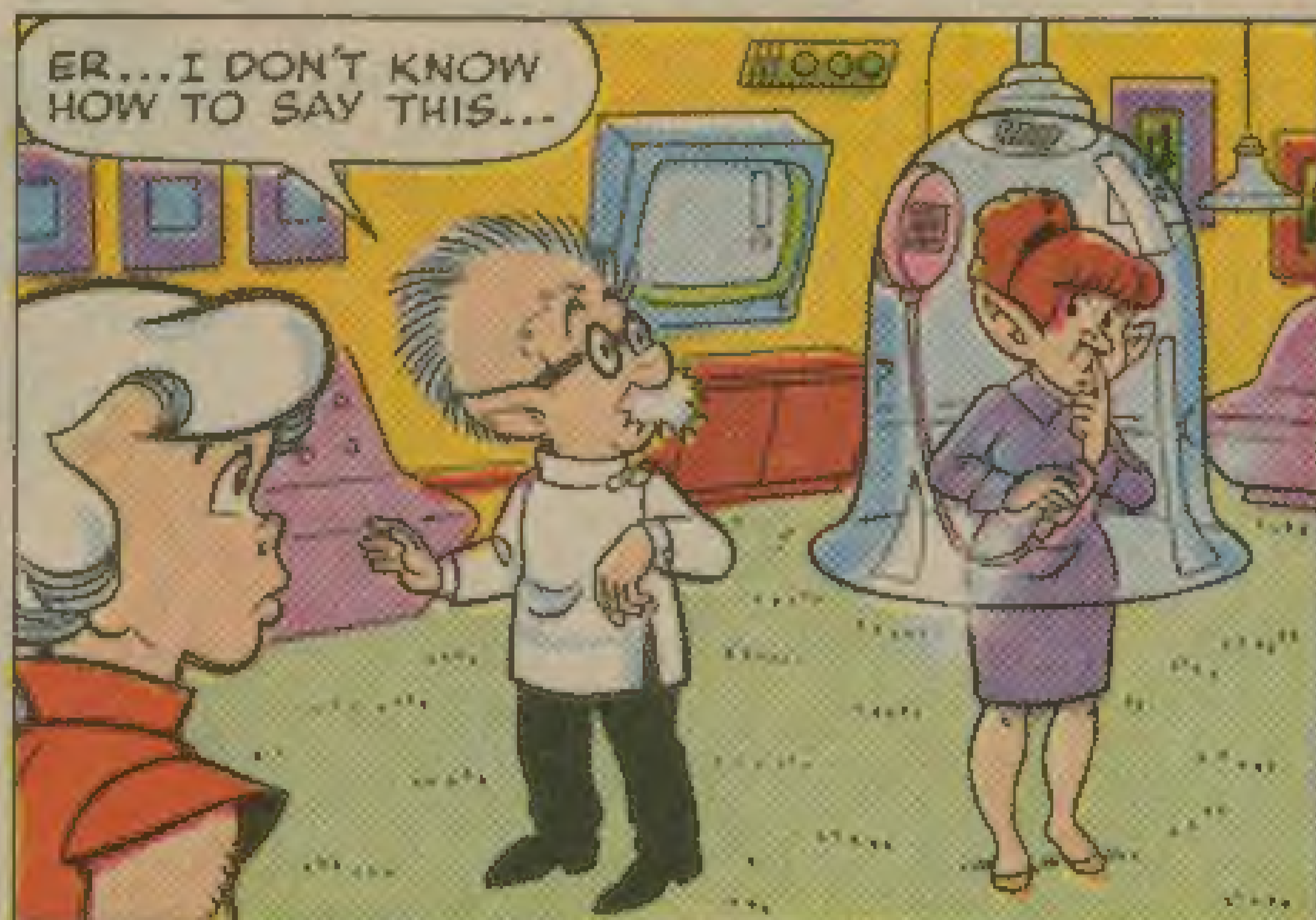
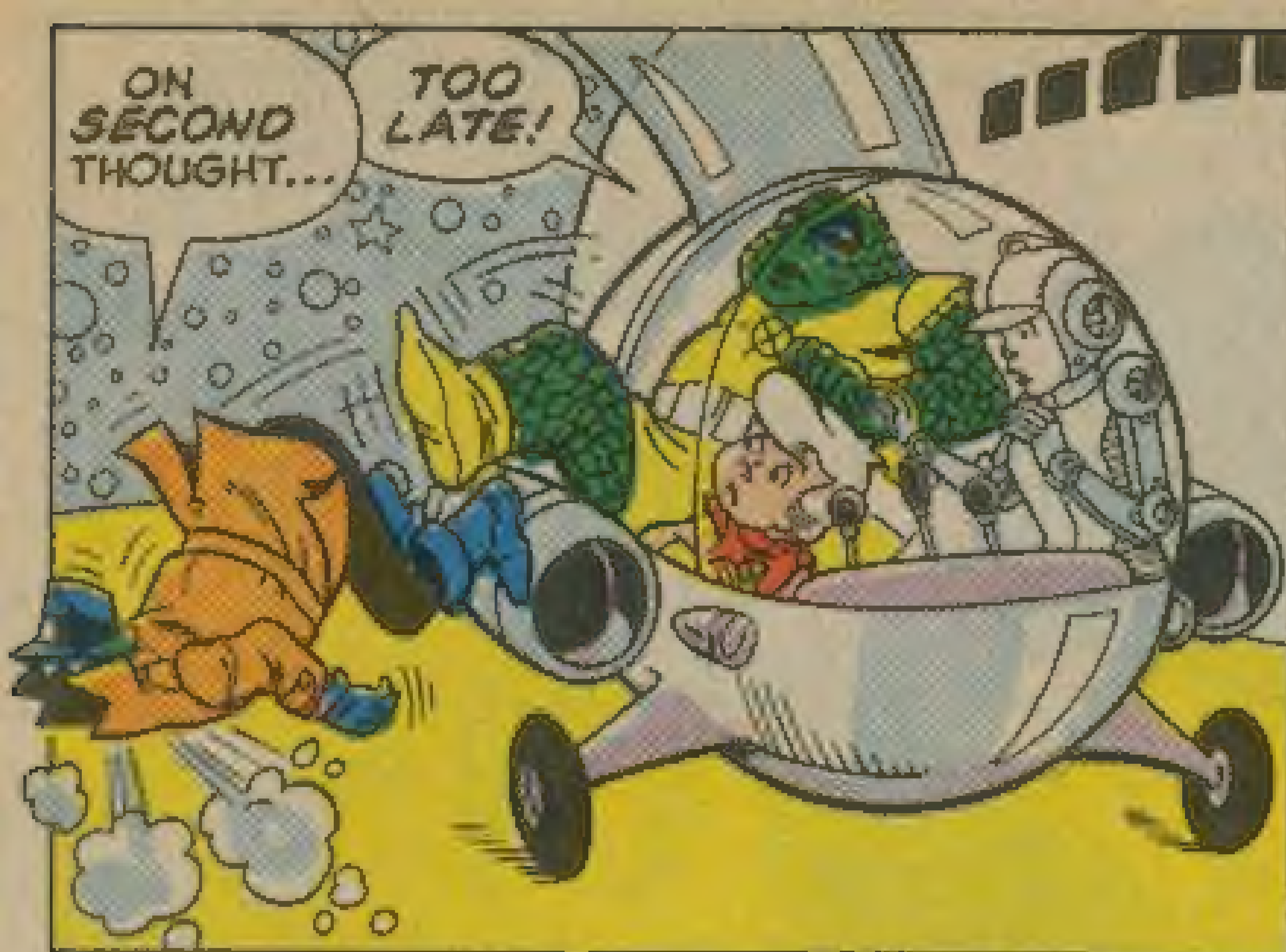
LOOKS EXACTLY LIKE THIS ONE!

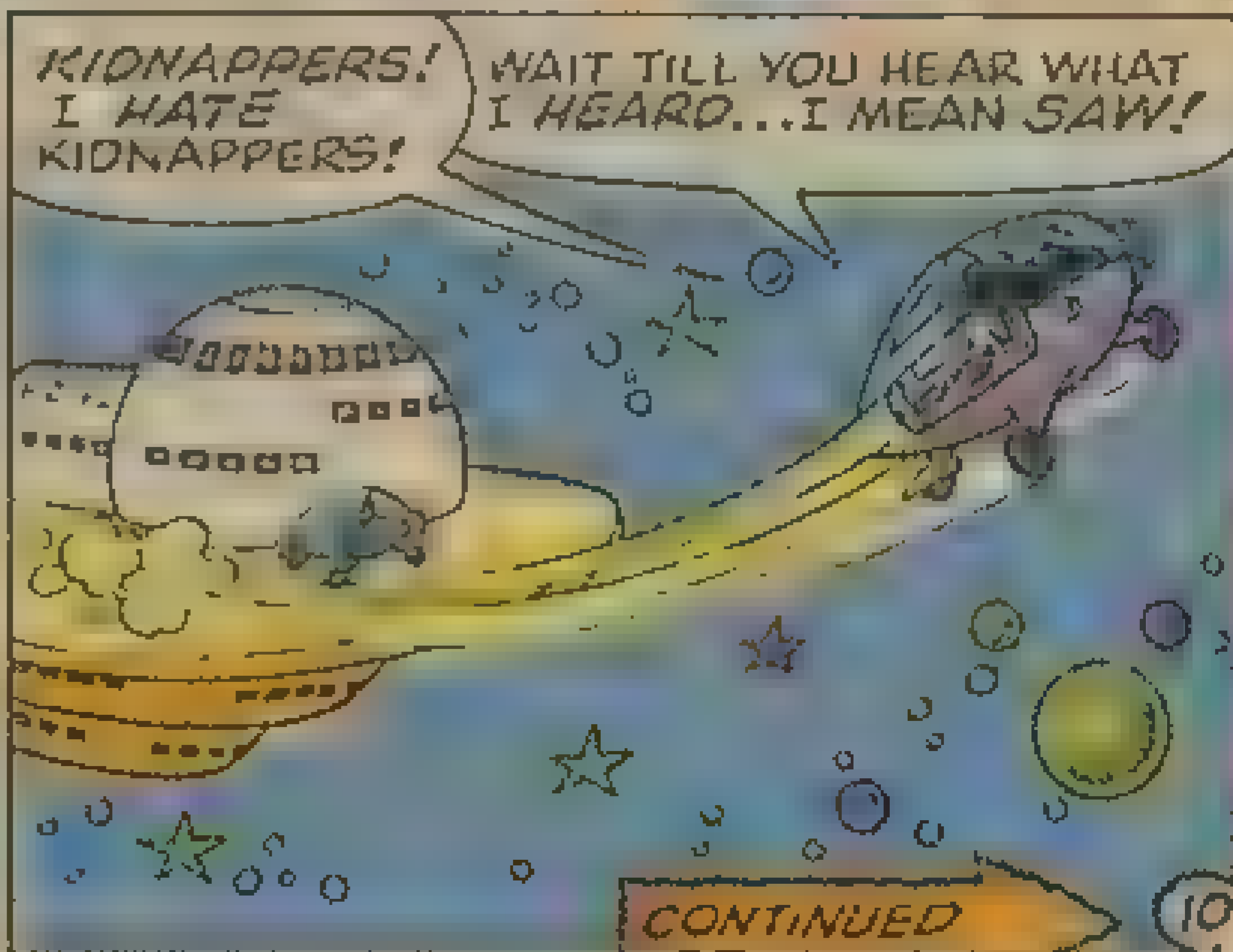
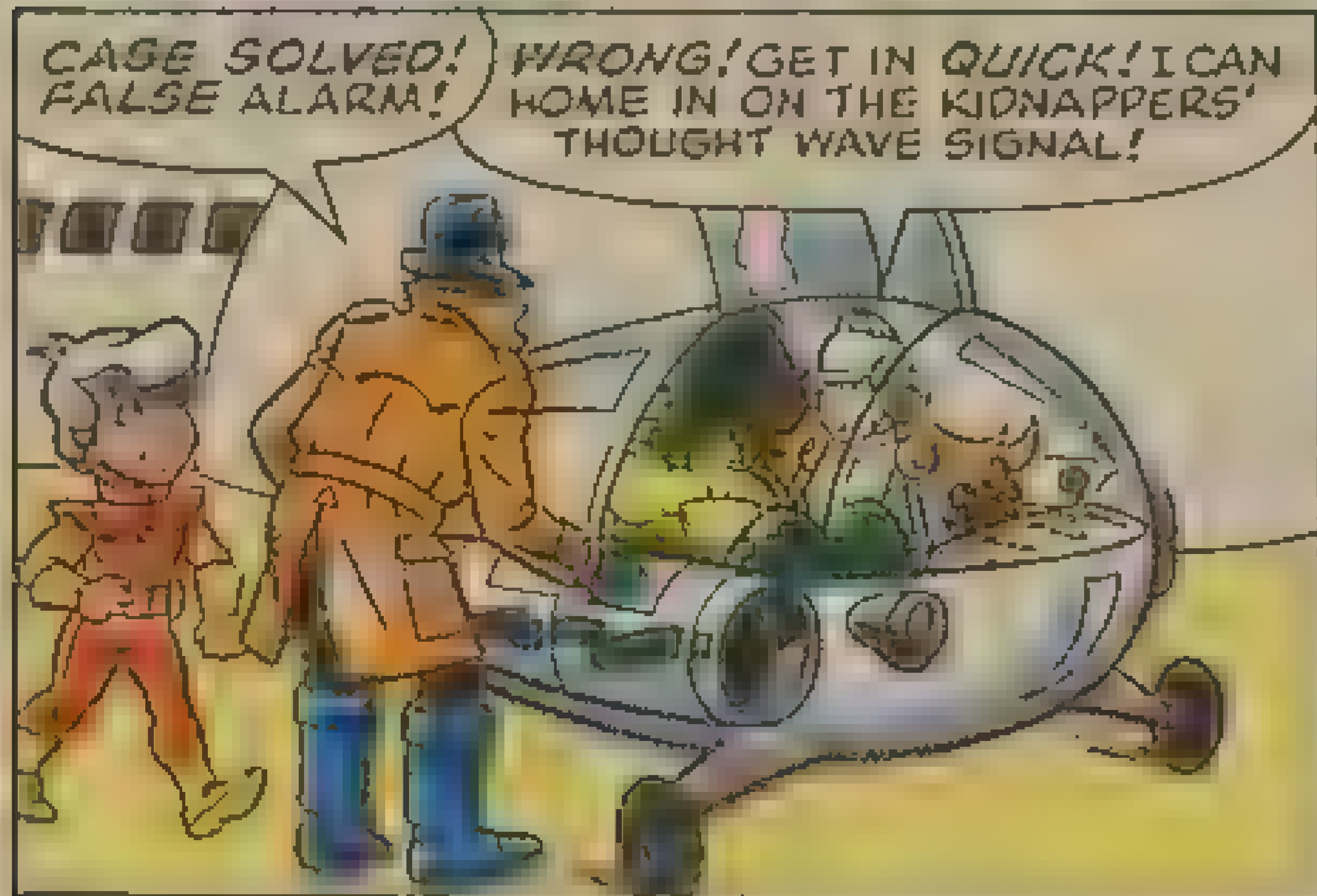
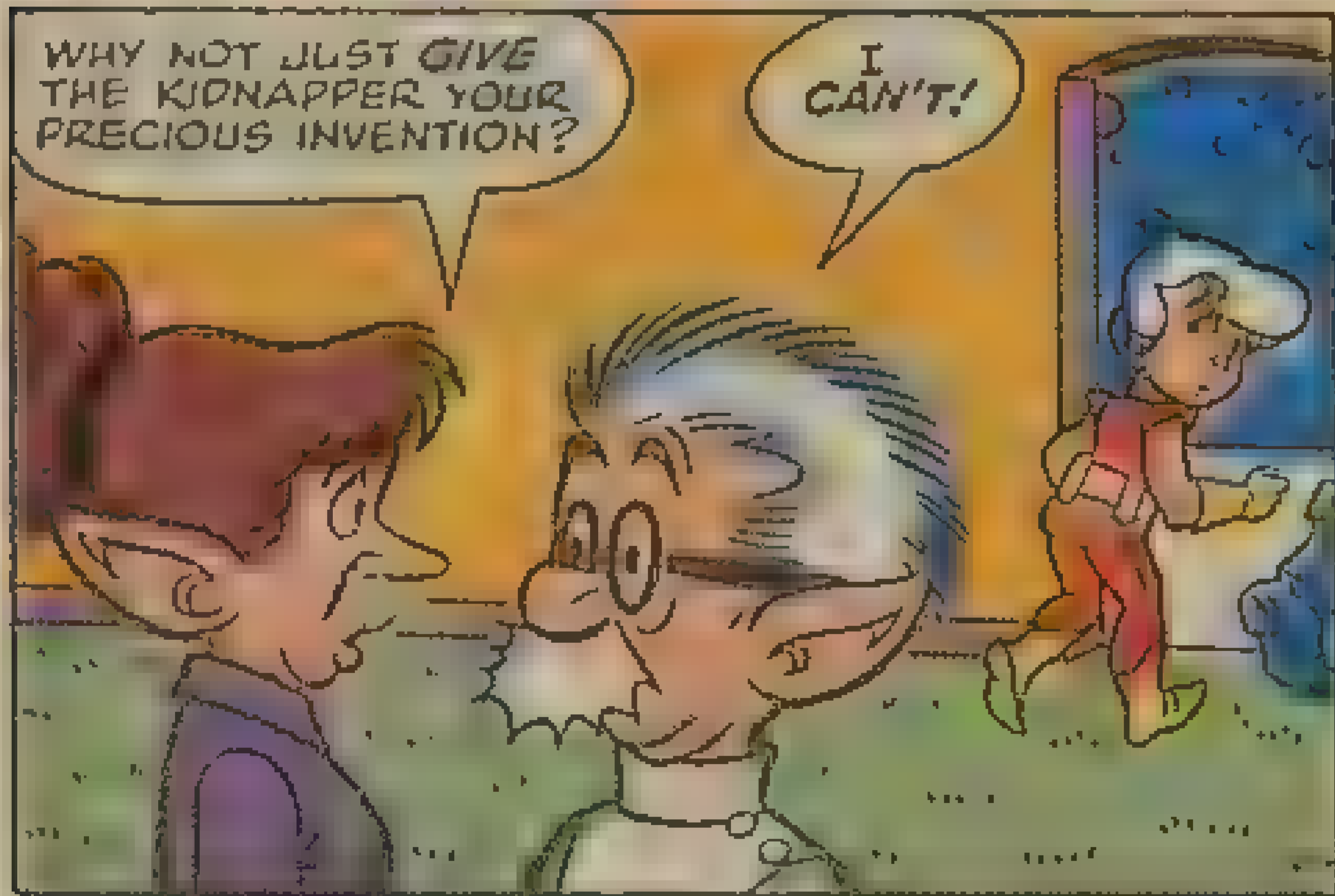
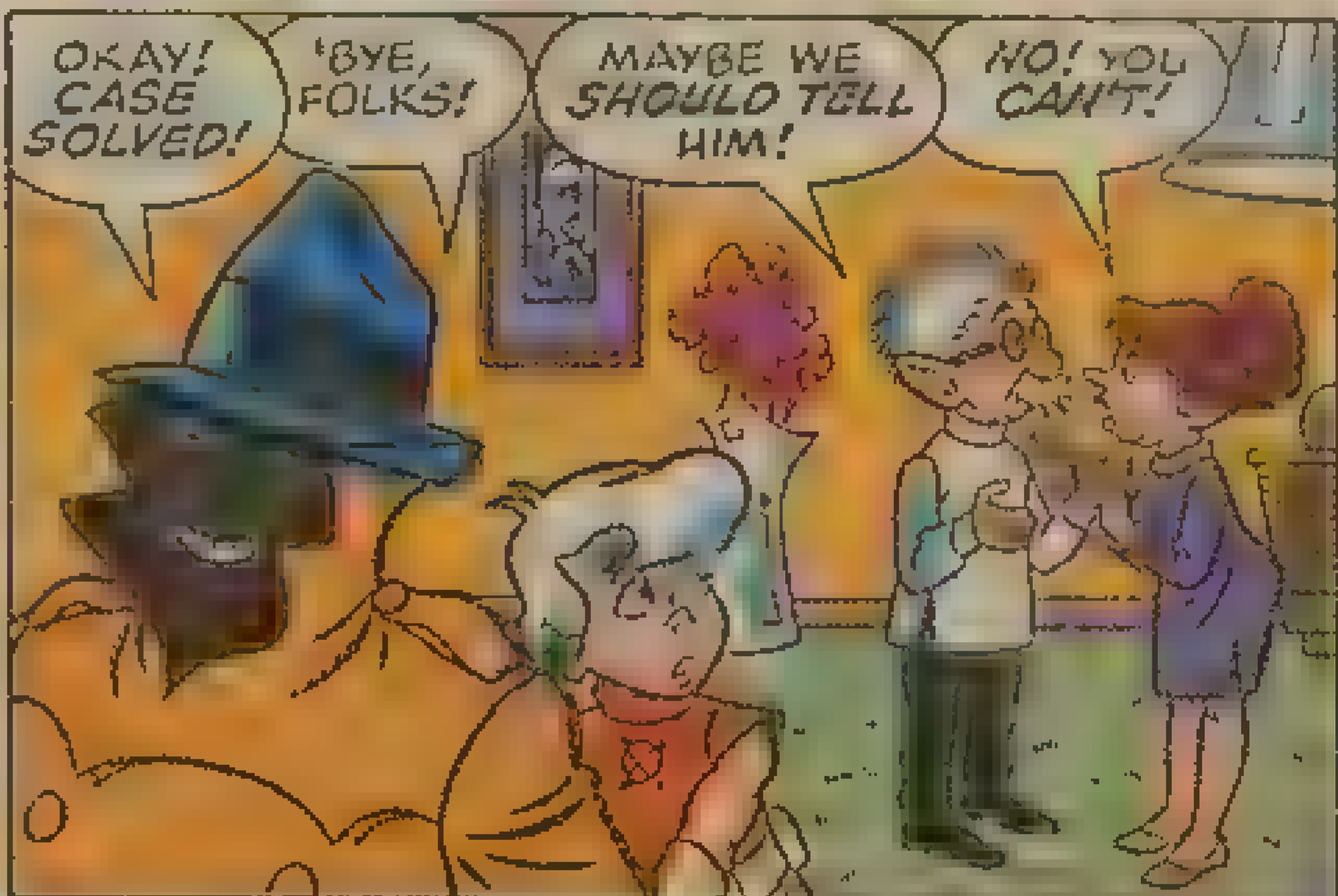
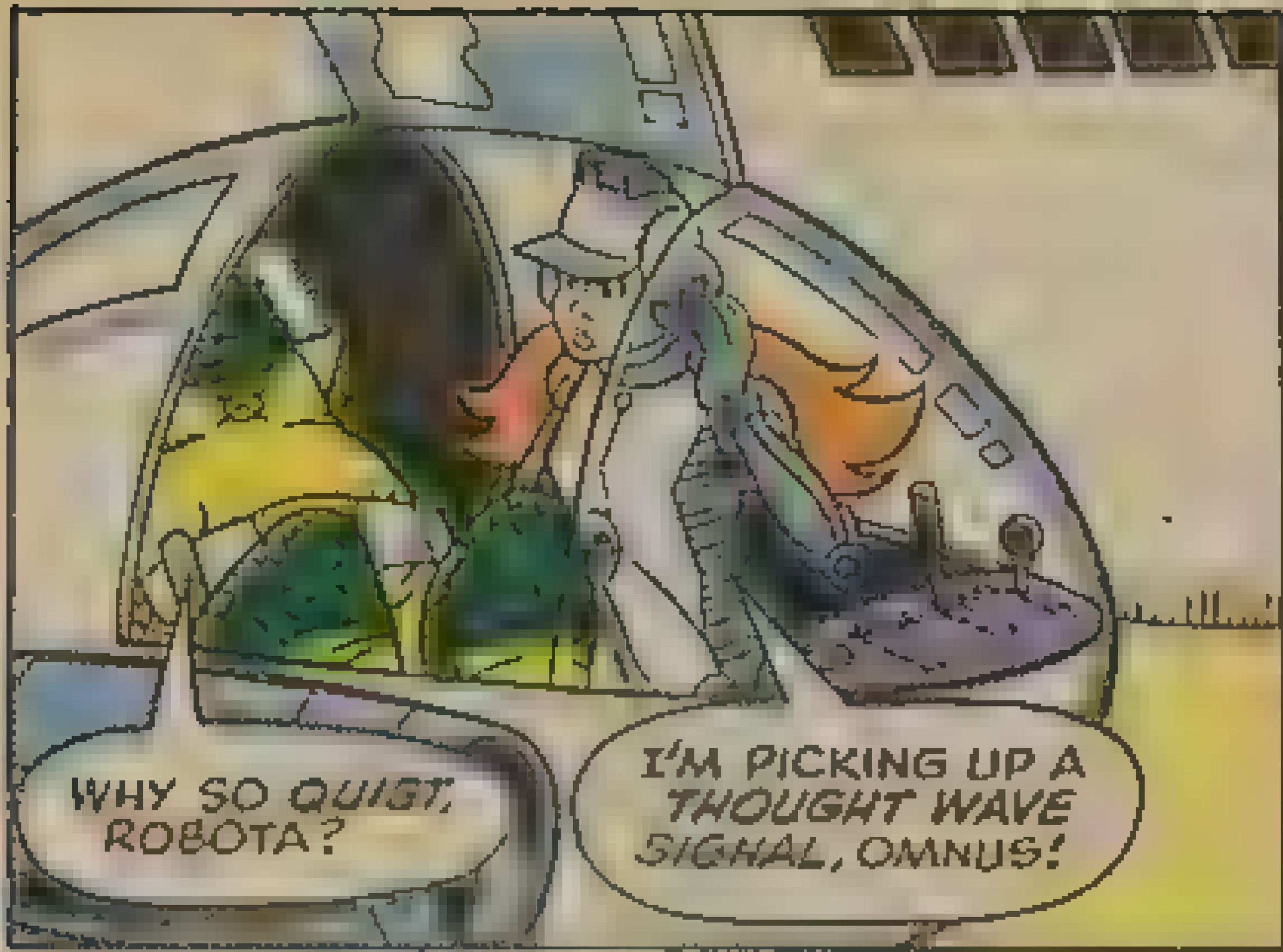
UH...WELL...IT'S A VERY POPULAR MODEL!

BUT IF I WERE A RESEARCH SCIENTIST, I'D FLY SOMETHING BIGGER!

SOMEONE GIVE ME A PUSH!

GLADLY!





PLANET PENNY

IN

BEYOND BELIEF!

CHAPTER 1

THE CASE OF THE WHITE-HAIRED KID

THEY WANT PZ-42'S
SECRET INVENTION!
BUT PZ-42 SAYS HE
CAN'T GIVE IT TO

HURRY! I DON'T
KNOW HOW LONG
THE SIGNAL WILL
BE KEPT ON!

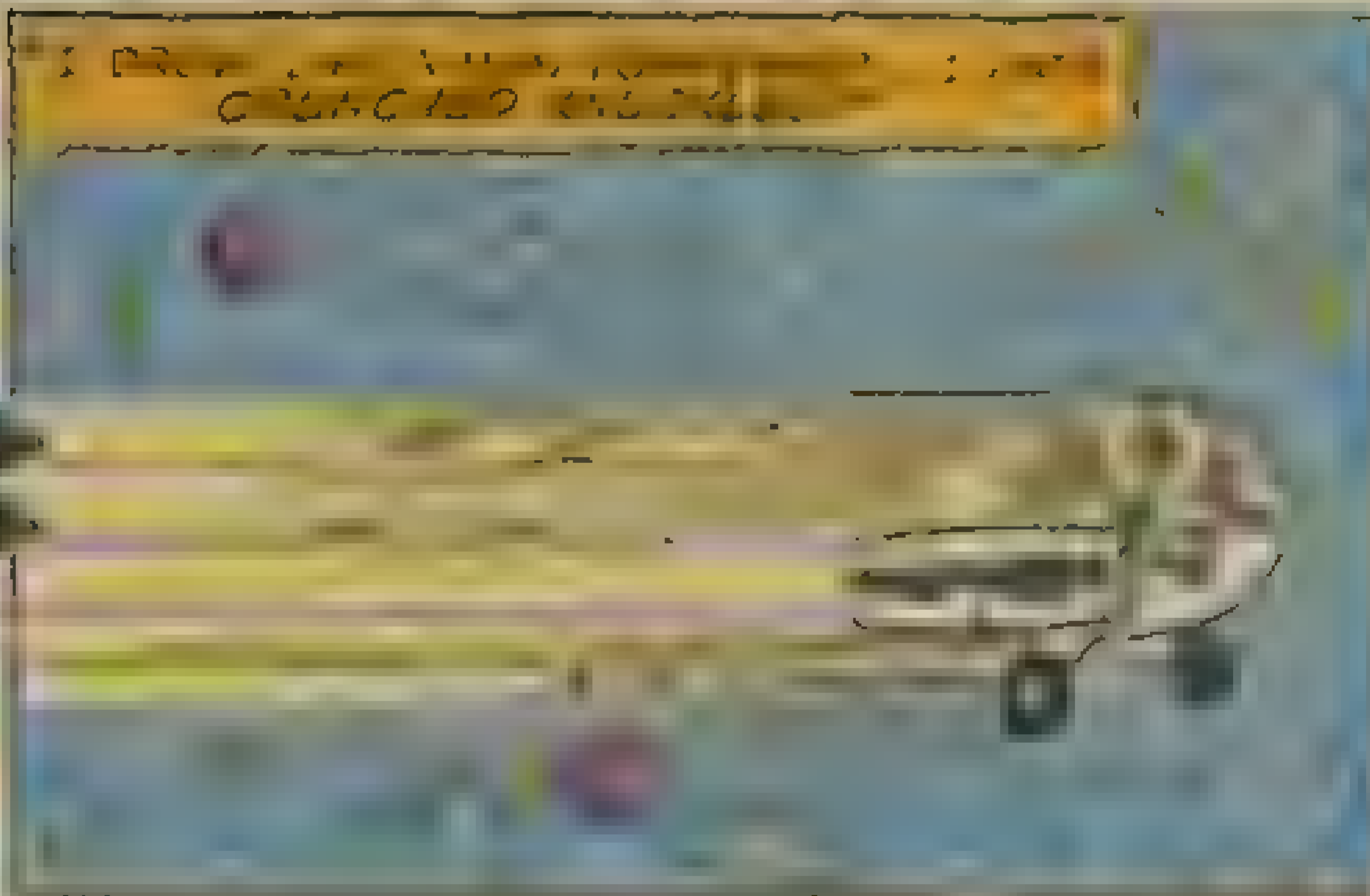
WE'RE PASSING THE
OUTER BELT!
SEE THAT CAPSULE-VILLA?
THAT'S WHERE A RESEARCH
SCIENTIST SHOULD LIVE!



FASTER! I HATE
KIDNAPPERS!



I DON'T KNOW HOW LONG
THE SIGNAL WILL BE KEPT ON!

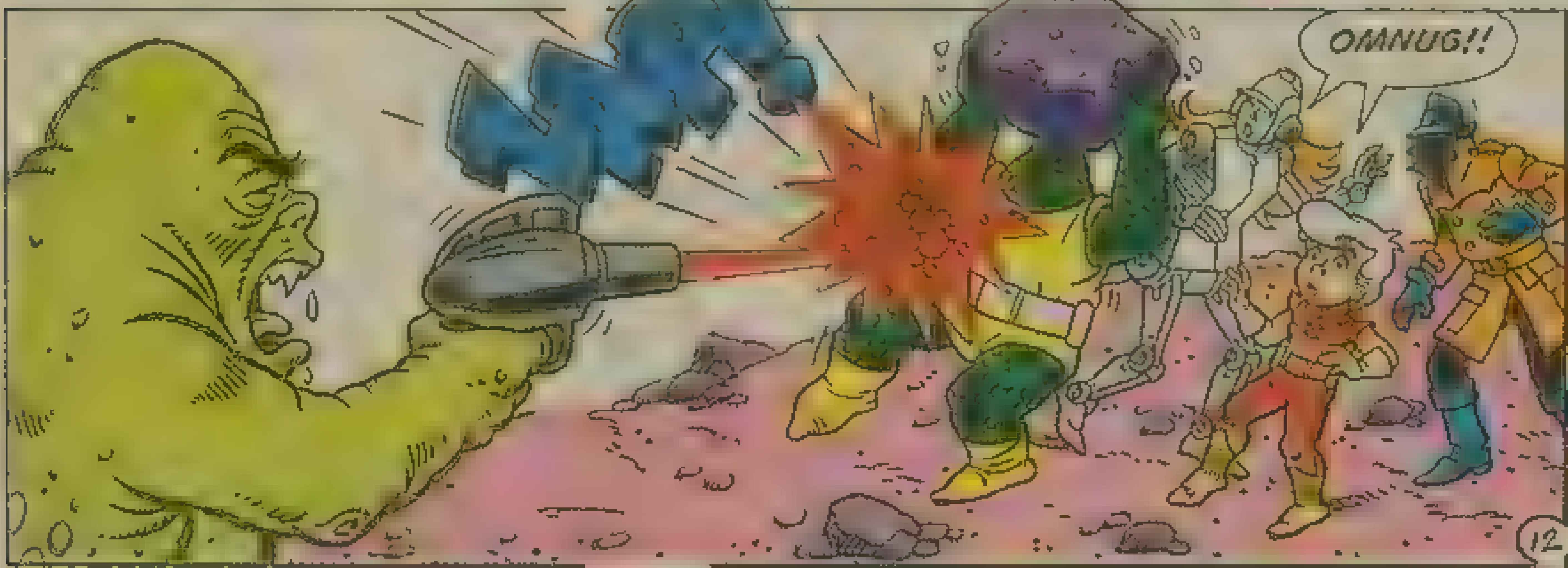
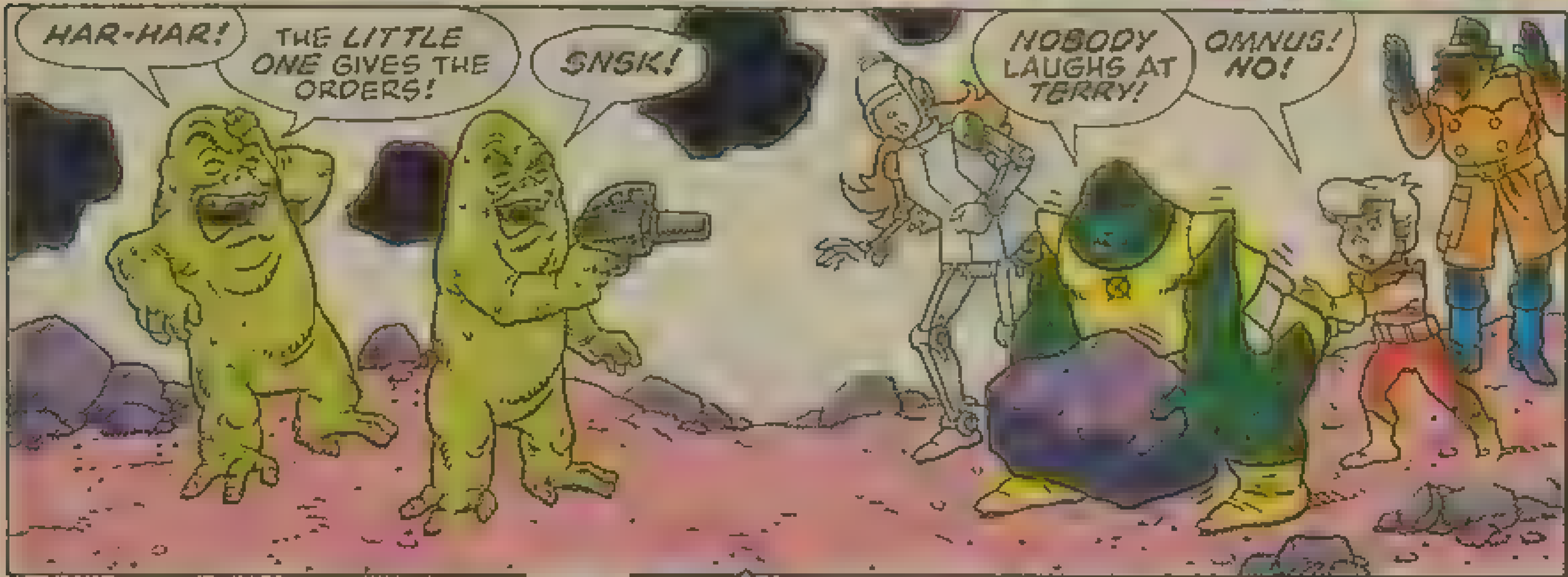
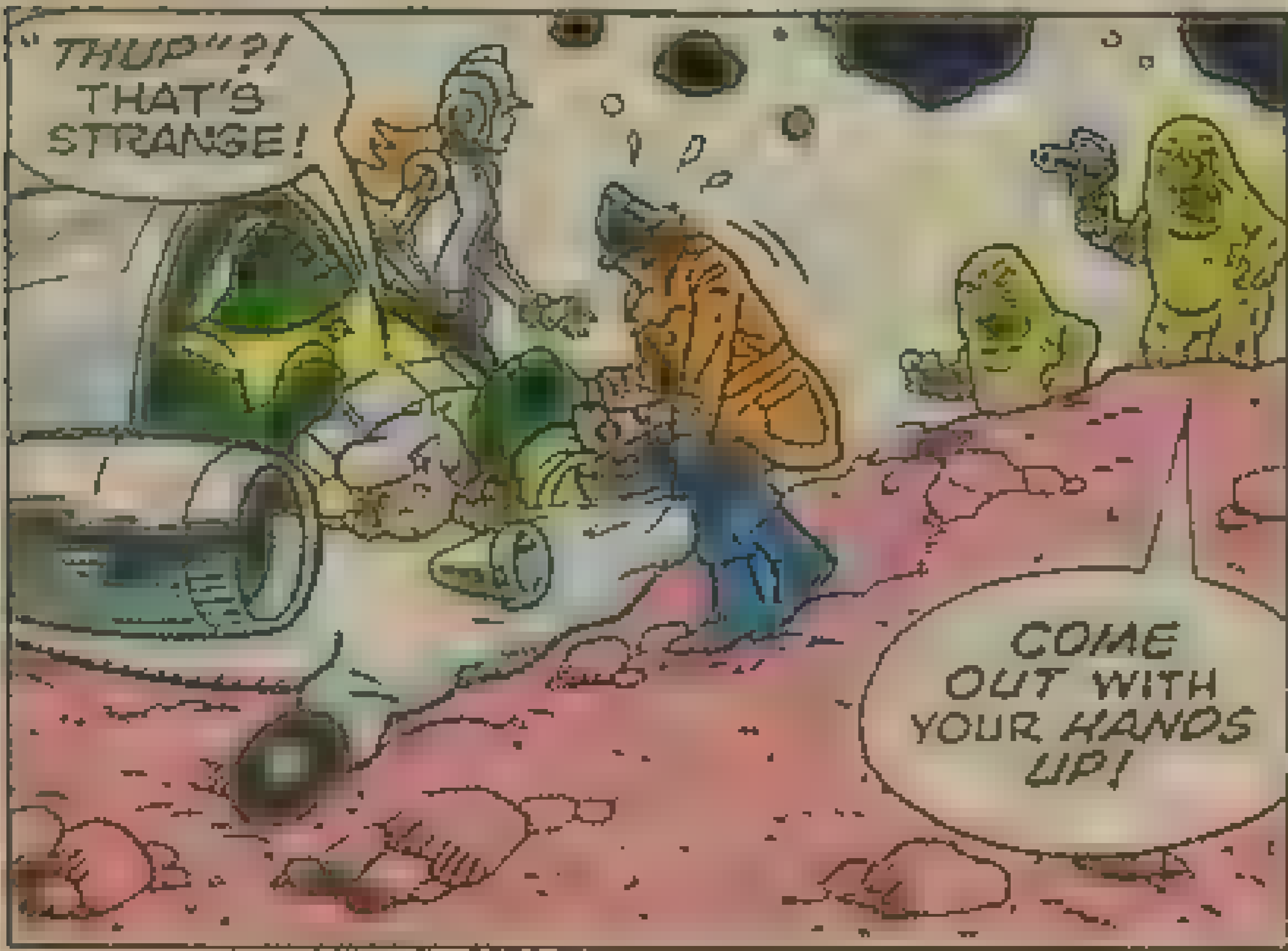
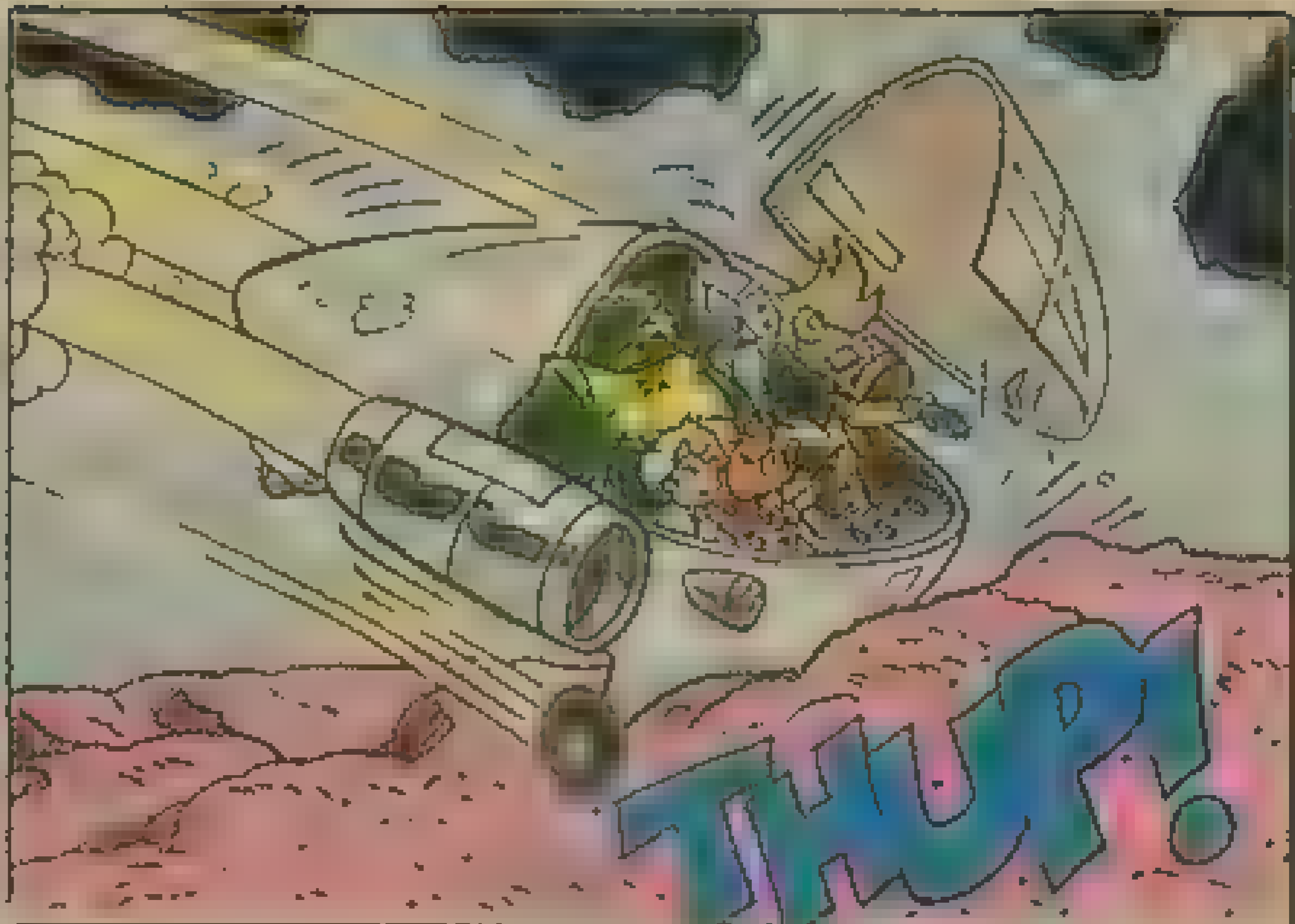
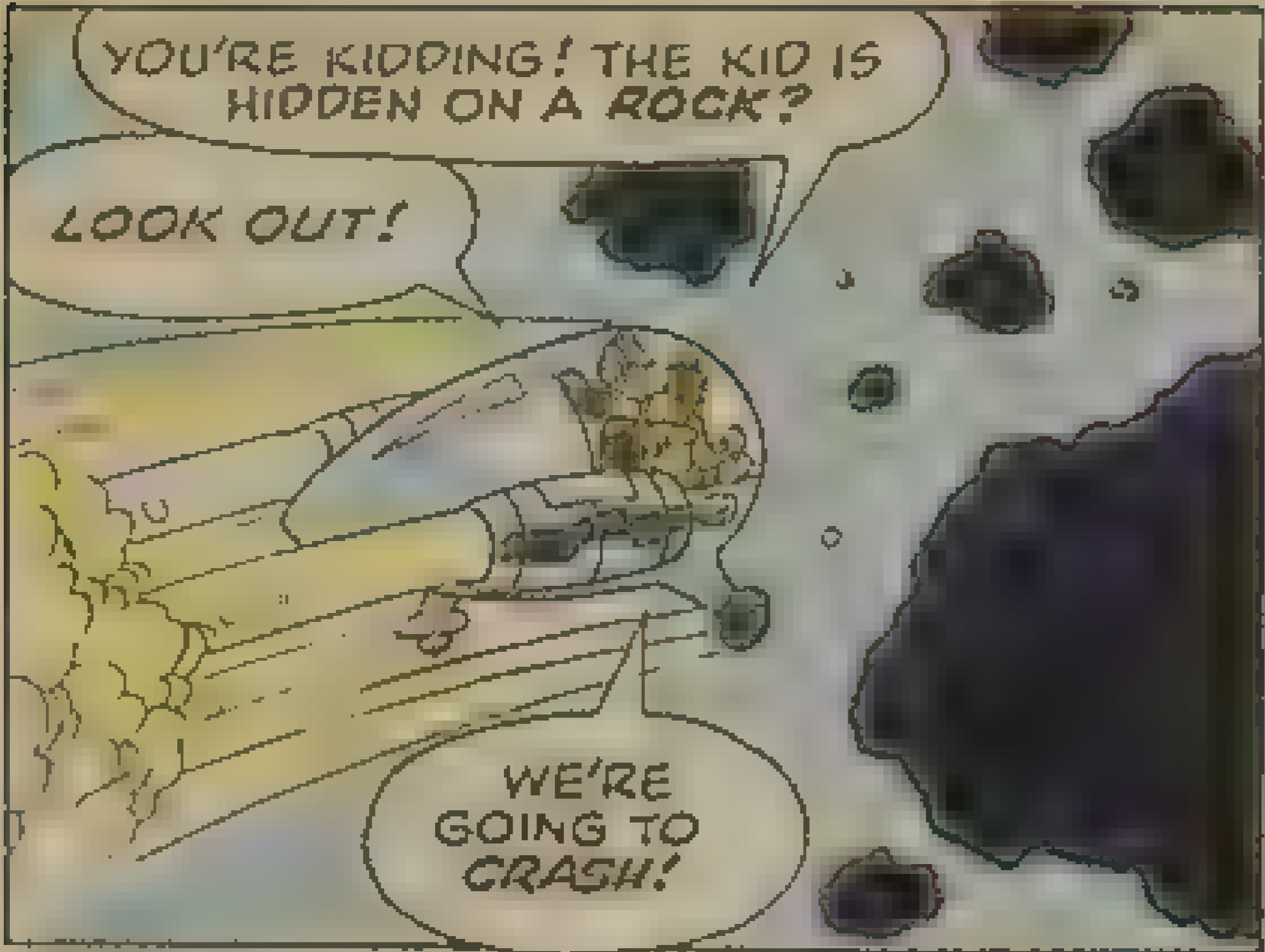


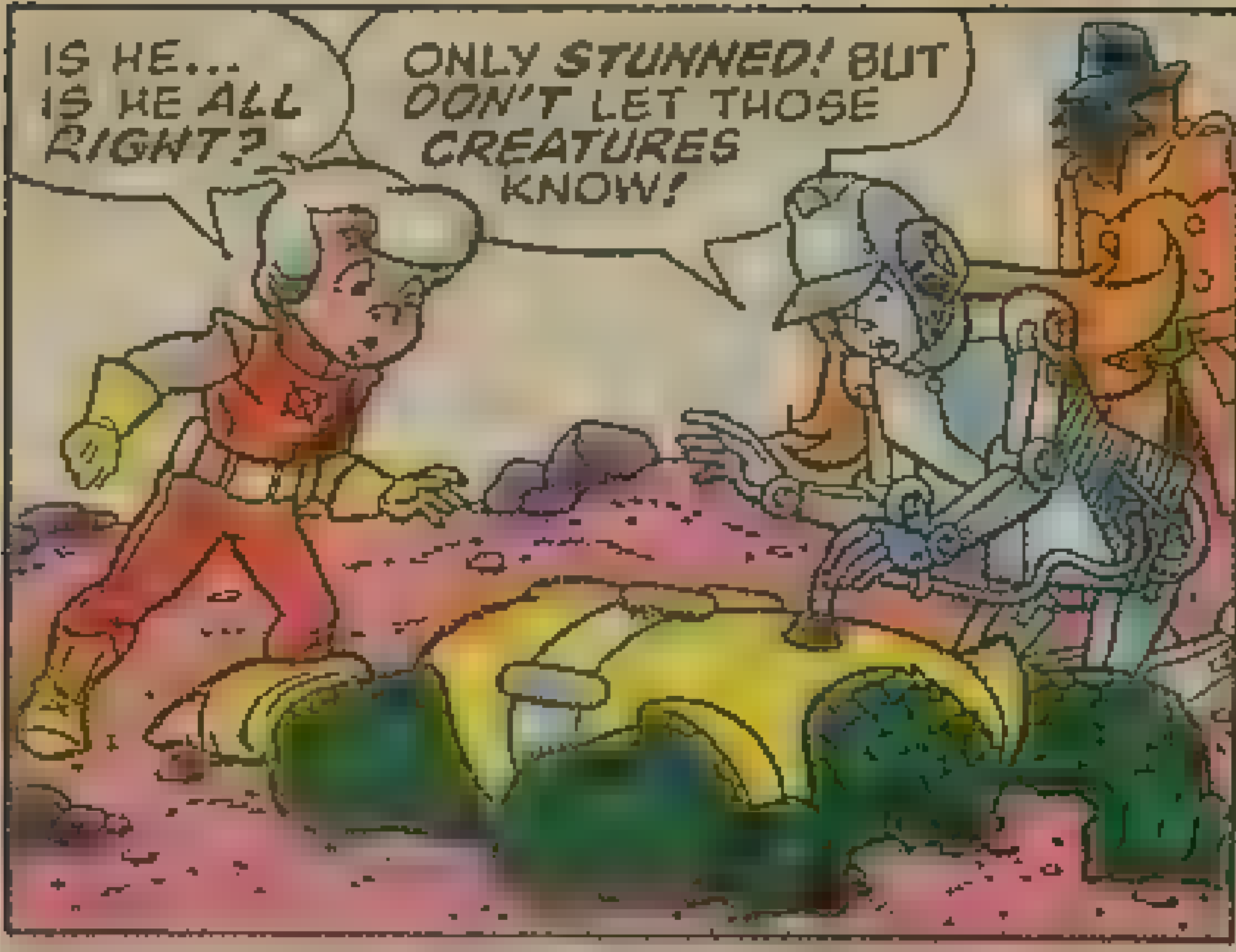
TOO FAST! I DON'T
KNOW HOW LONG
THE SIGNAL WILL BE KEPT ON!

BUT THE BEAM IS COMING
FROM THE ASTEROID BELT!

IT MUST
BE RIGHT
AHEAD!





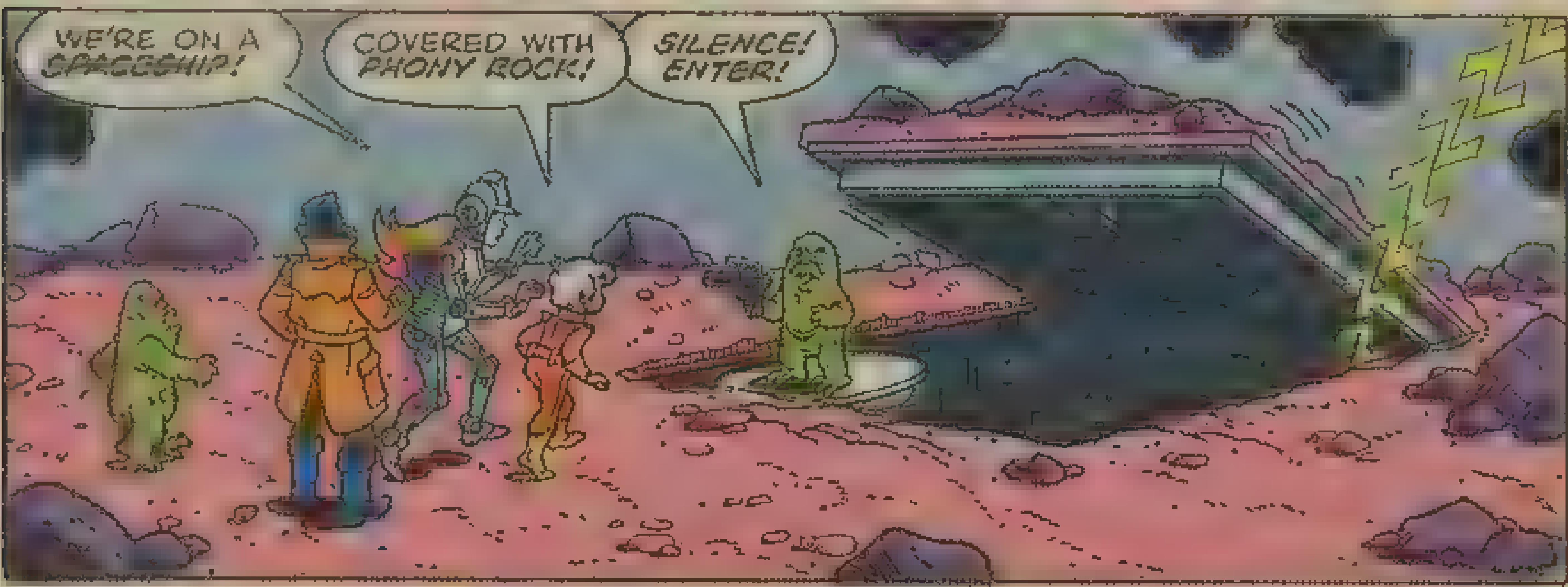


IS HE...
IS HE ALL
RIGHT?

ONLY STUNNED! BUT
DON'T LET THOSE
CREATURES
KNOW!



YOU WILL COME WITH US!



WE'RE ON A
SPACESHIP!

COVERED WITH
PHONY ROCK!

SILENCE!
ENTER!



"THE INSIDE WAS VAST!"

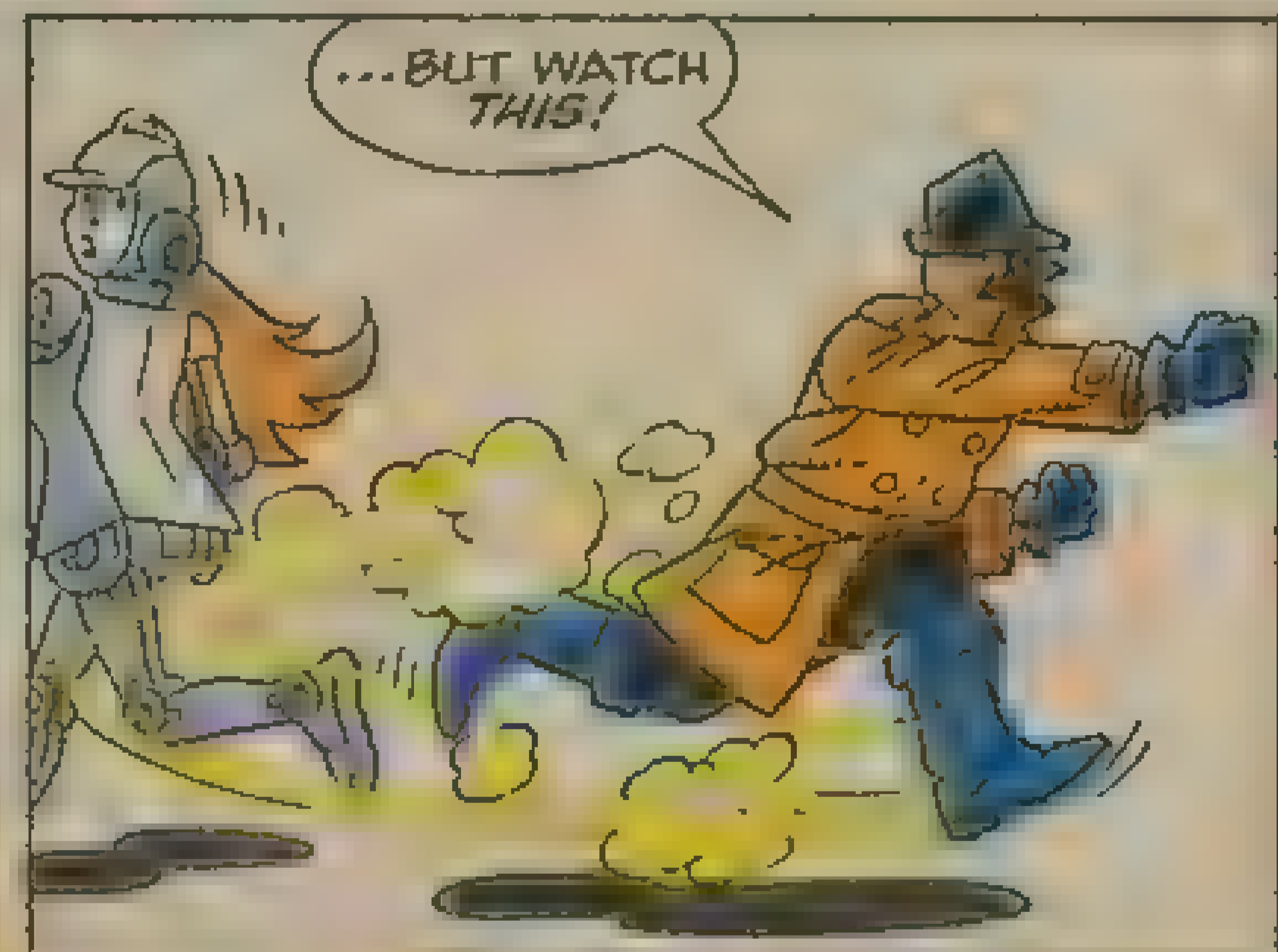
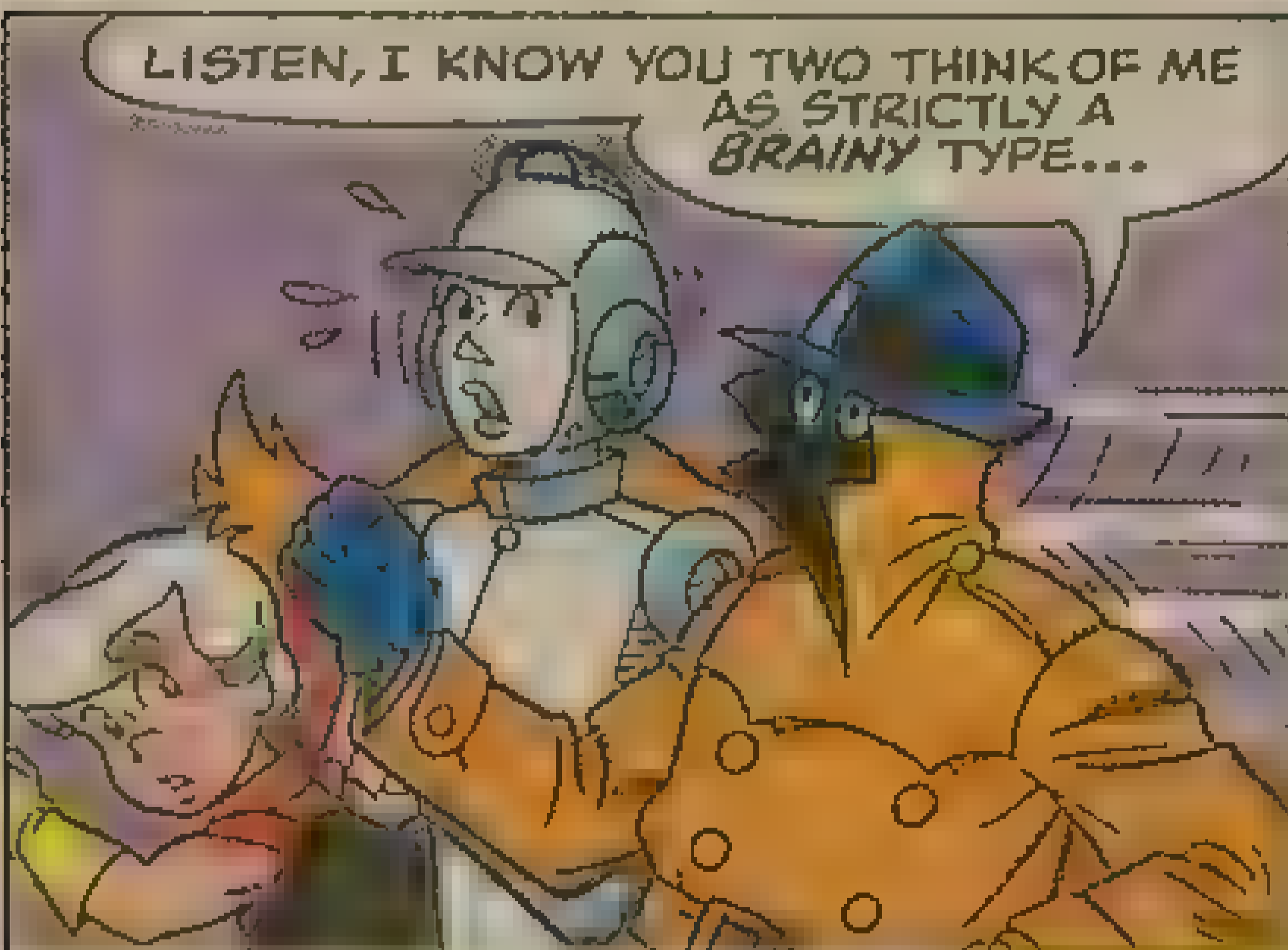
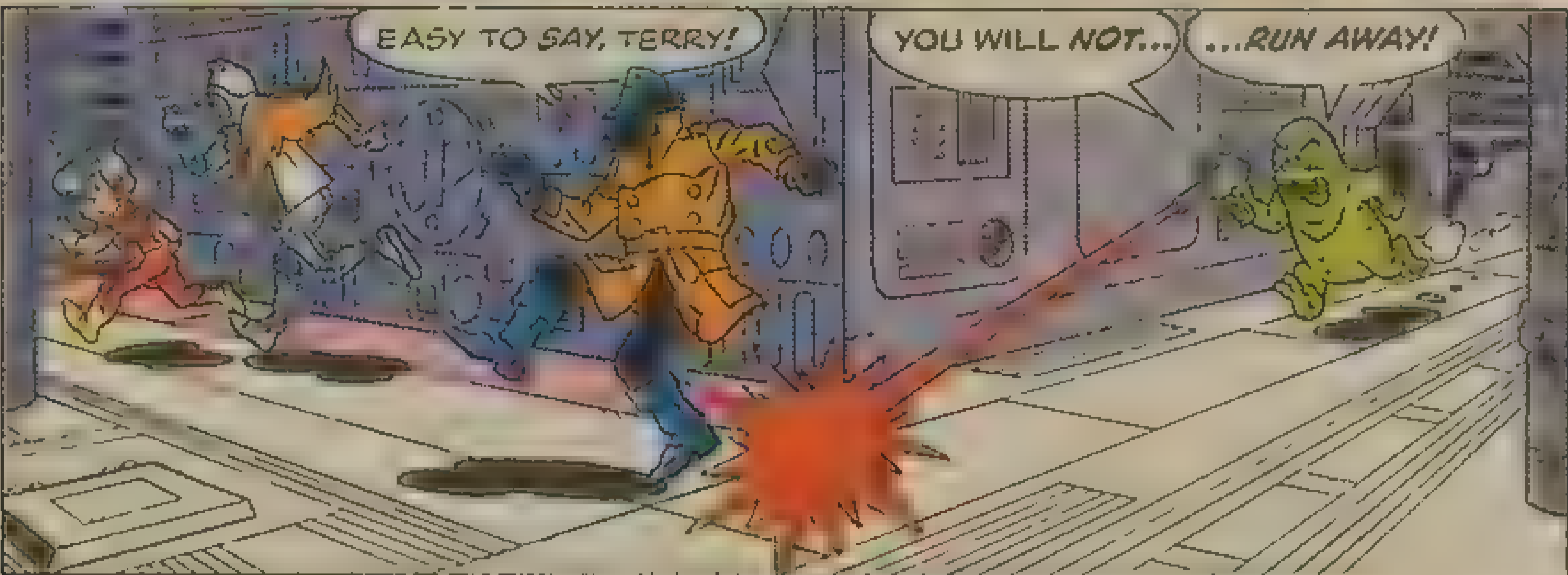
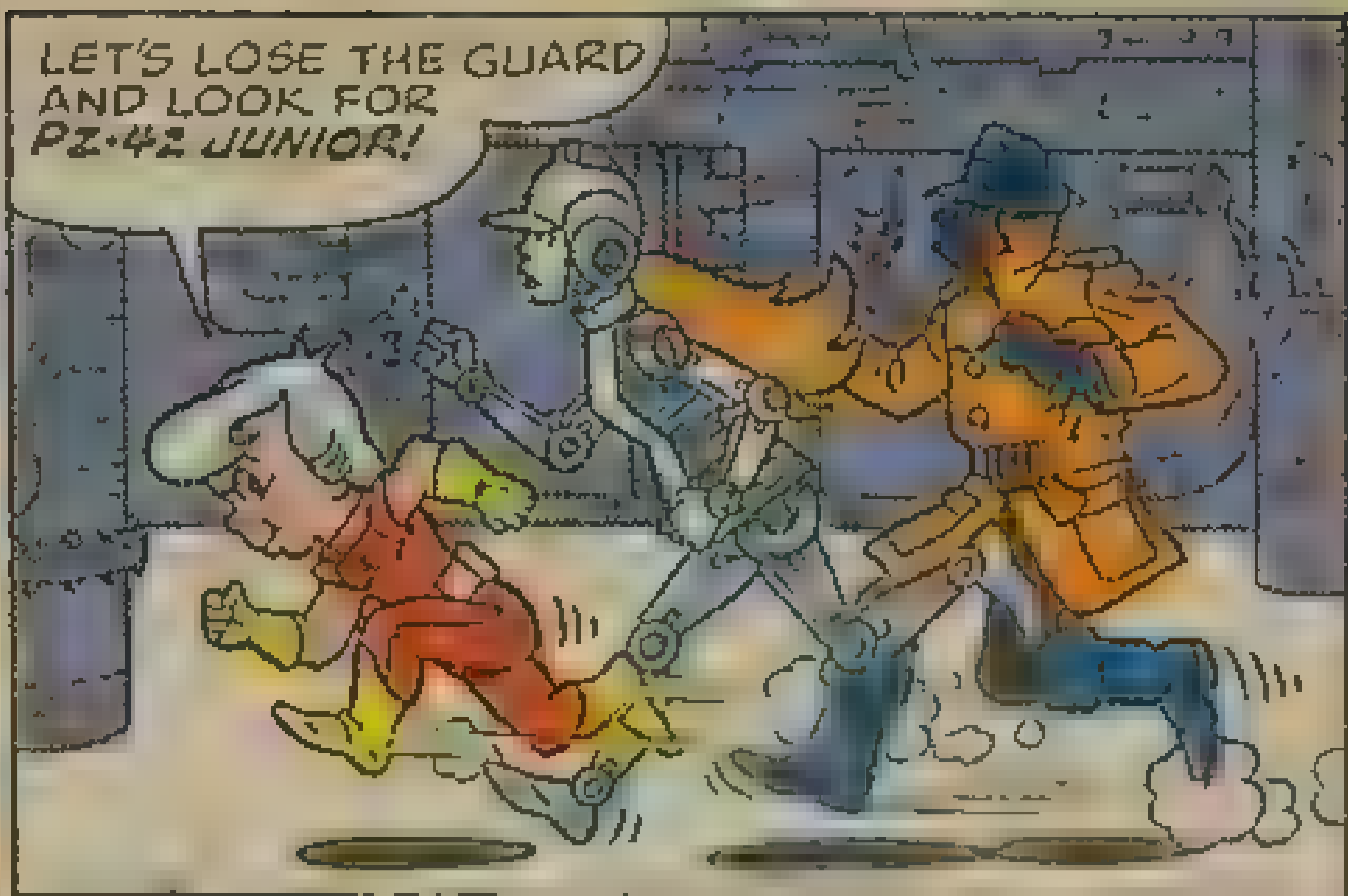
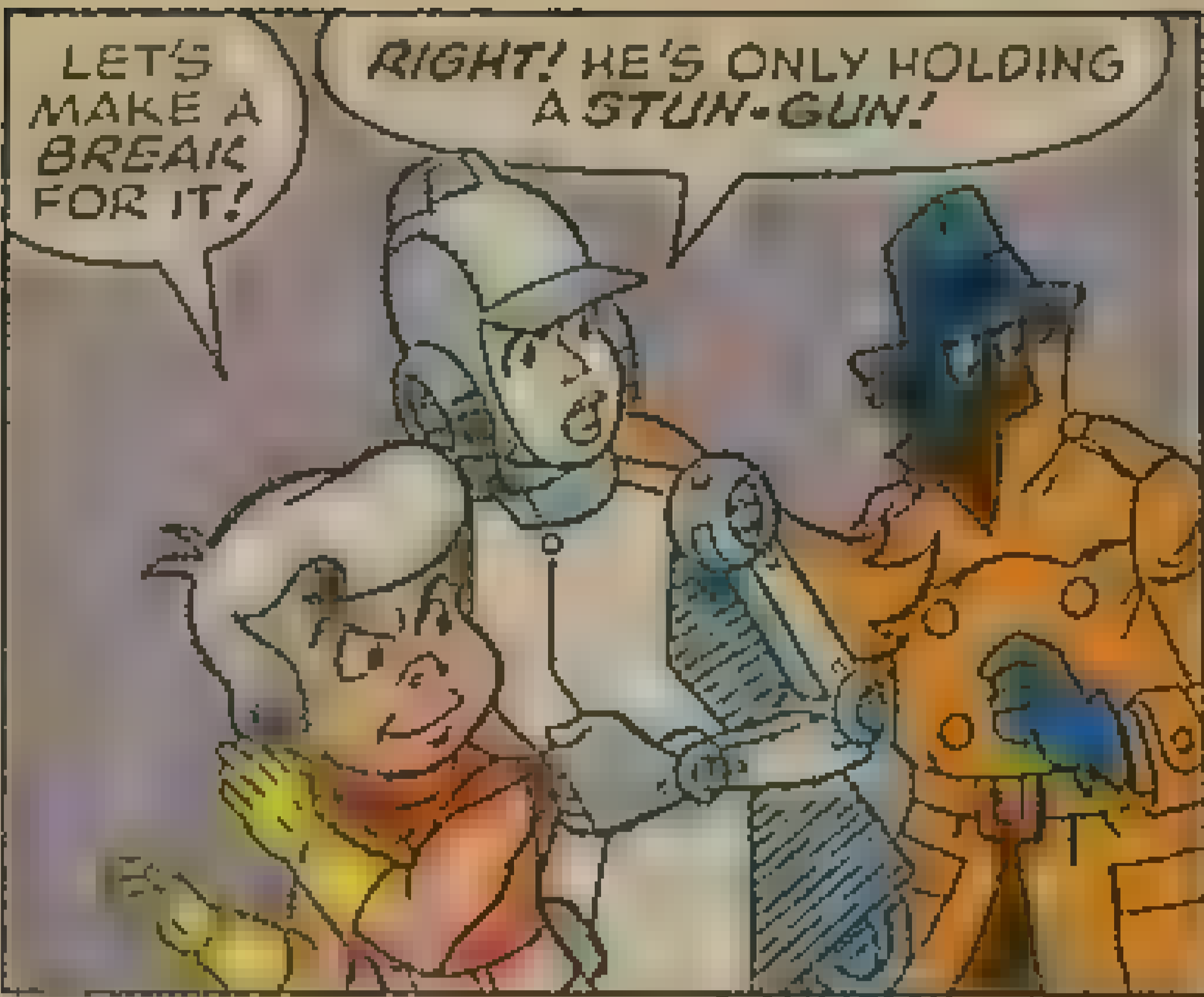
I WILL
REPORT TO
OUR
LEADER!

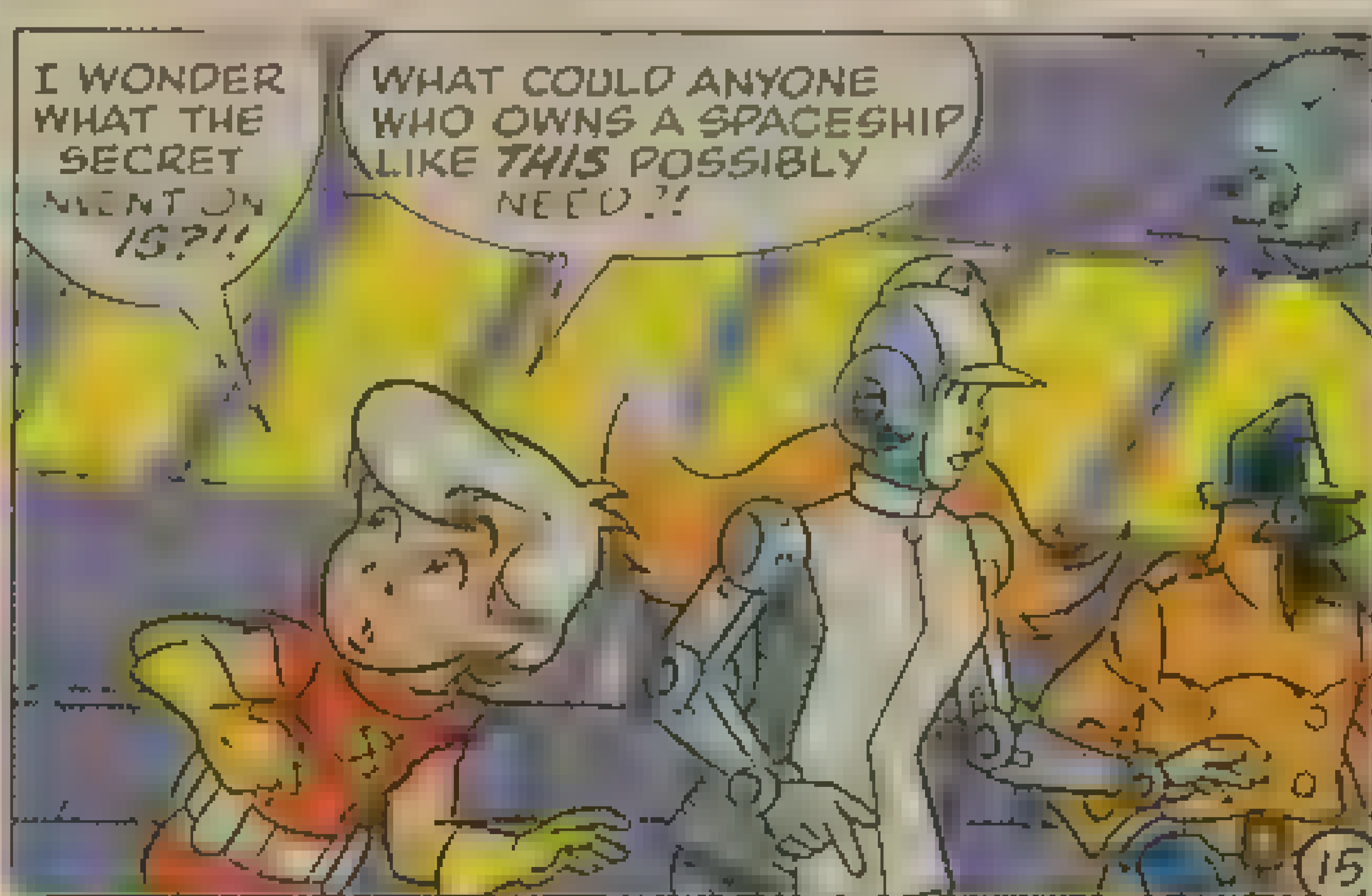
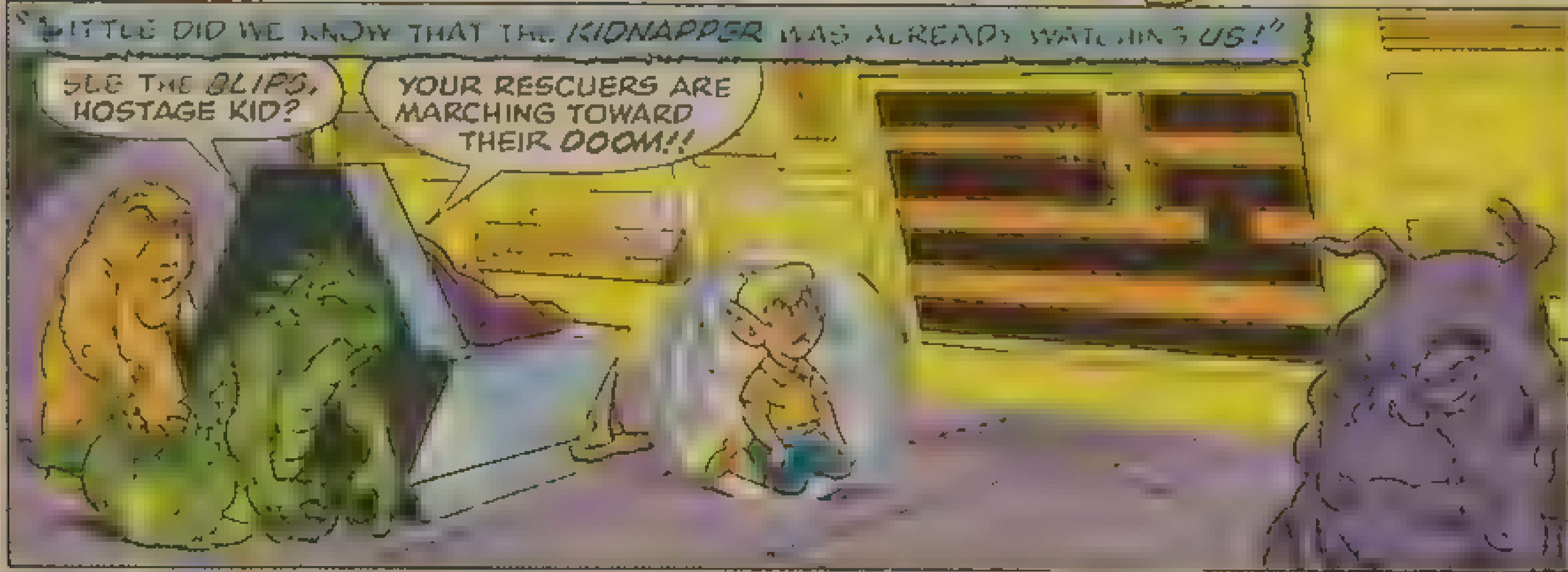
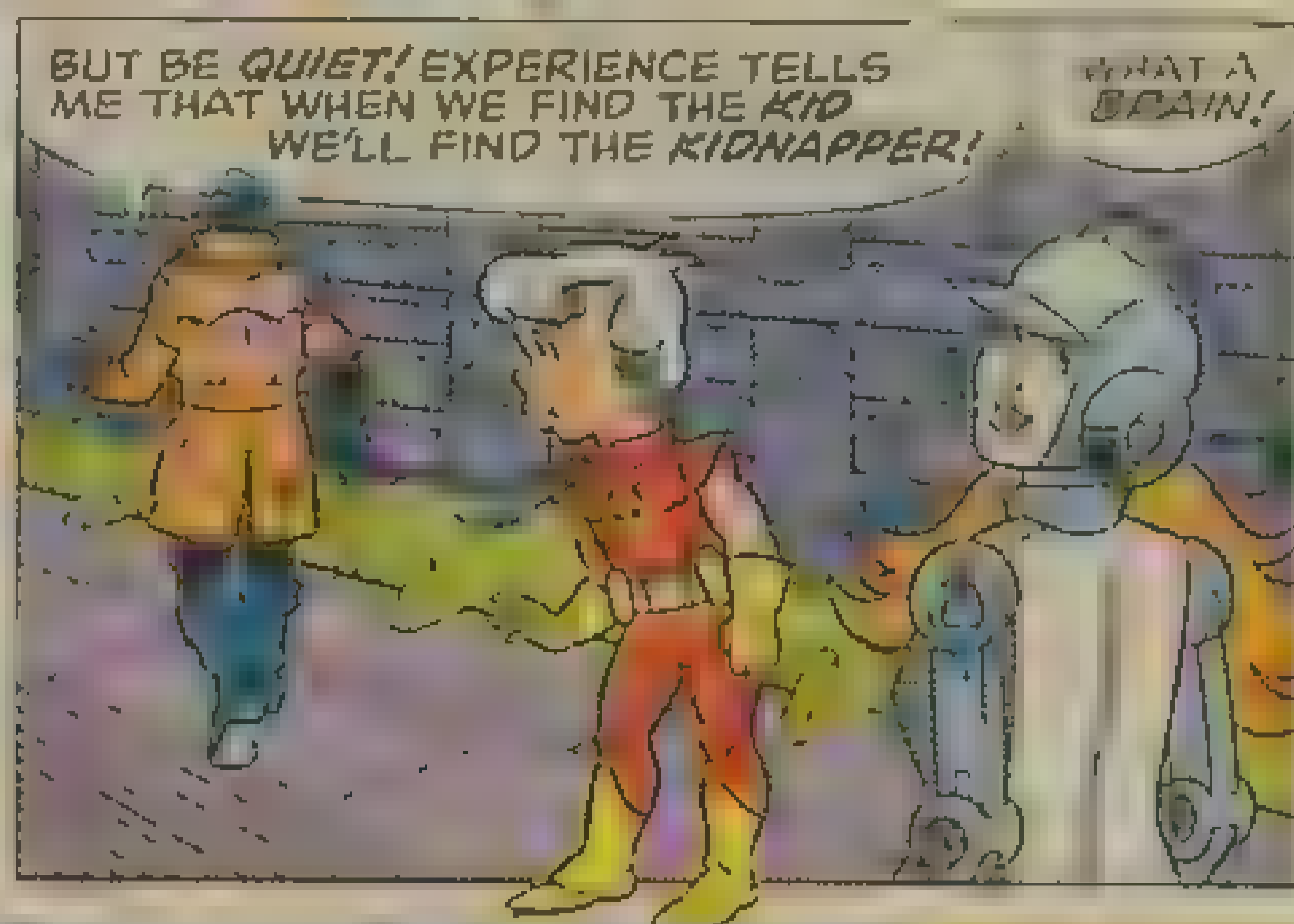
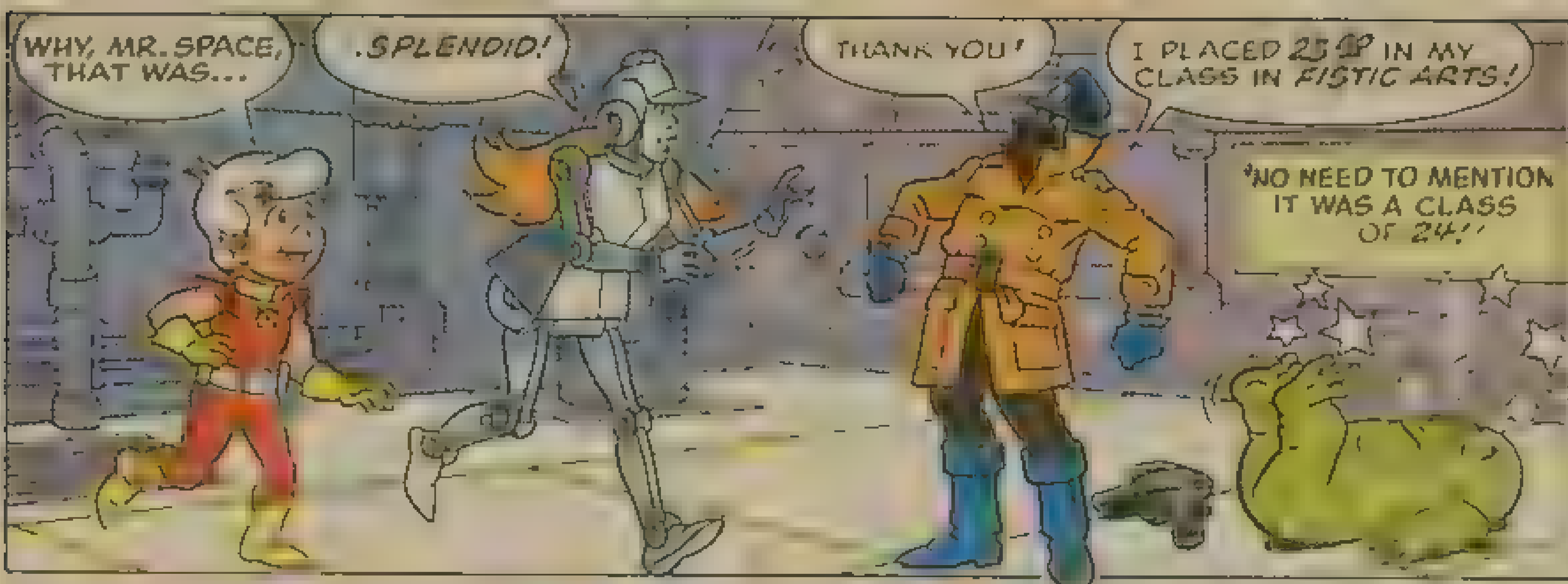
WOW!
WE COULD
GET LOST
IN HERE!

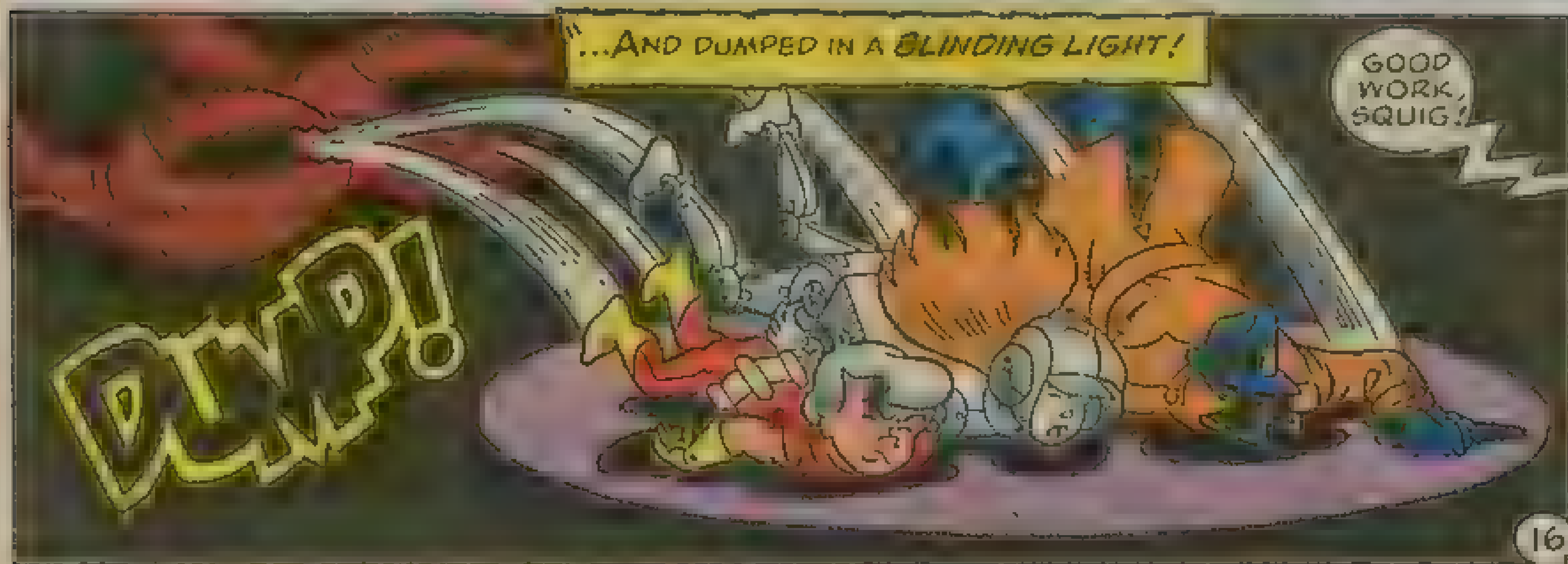
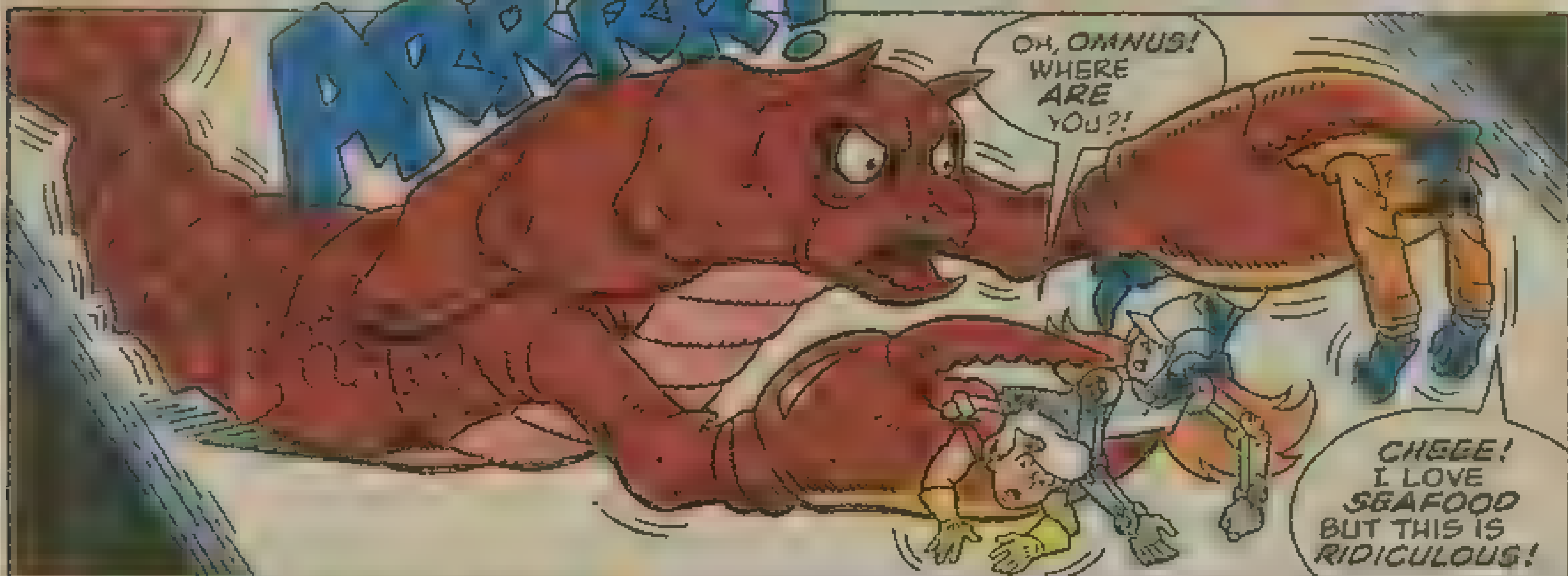
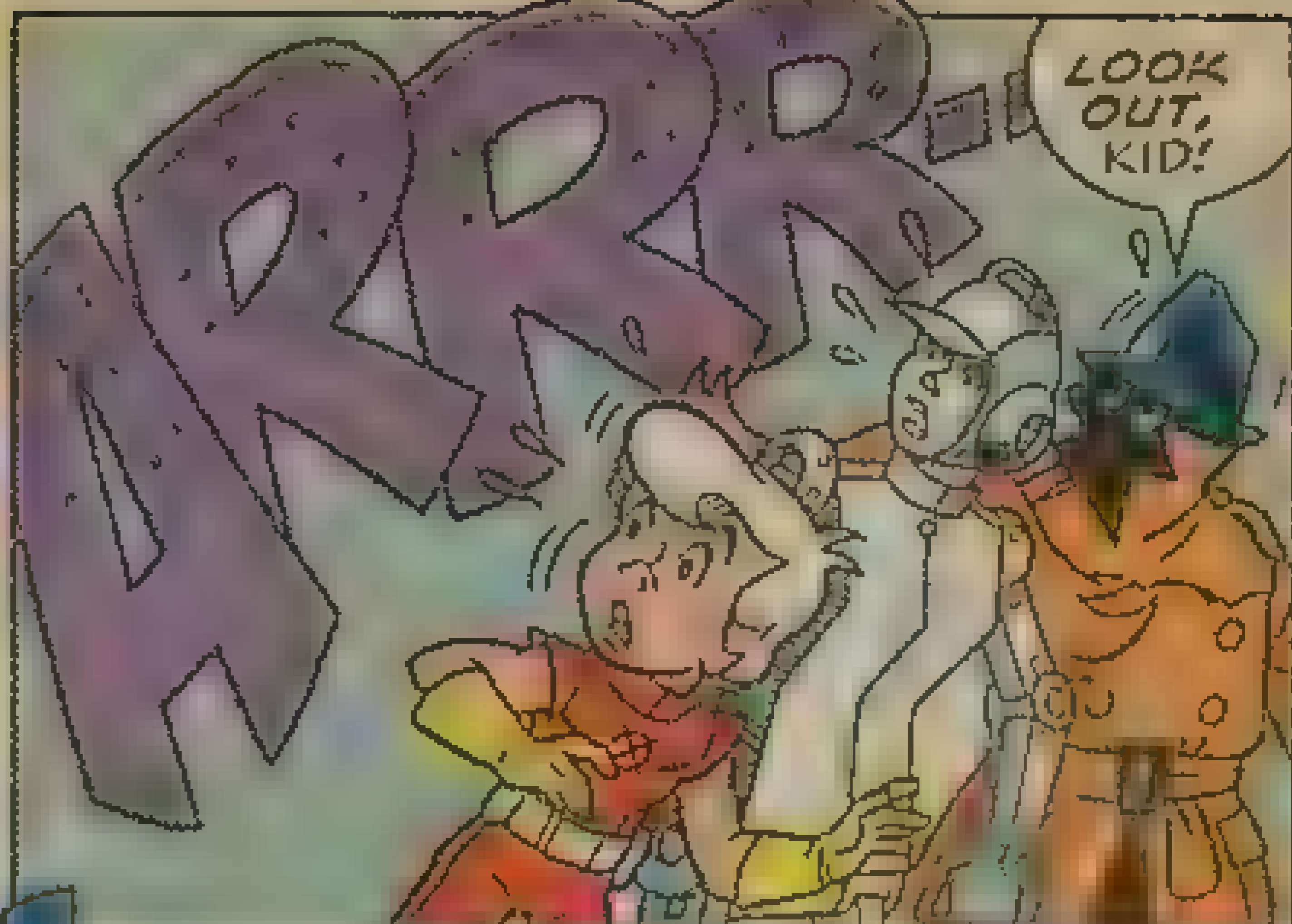
GOOD
IDEA!

FIRST GOOD
IDEA I'VE HEARD
FROM HIM!

WE WILL
WAIT! NO
TRICKS!

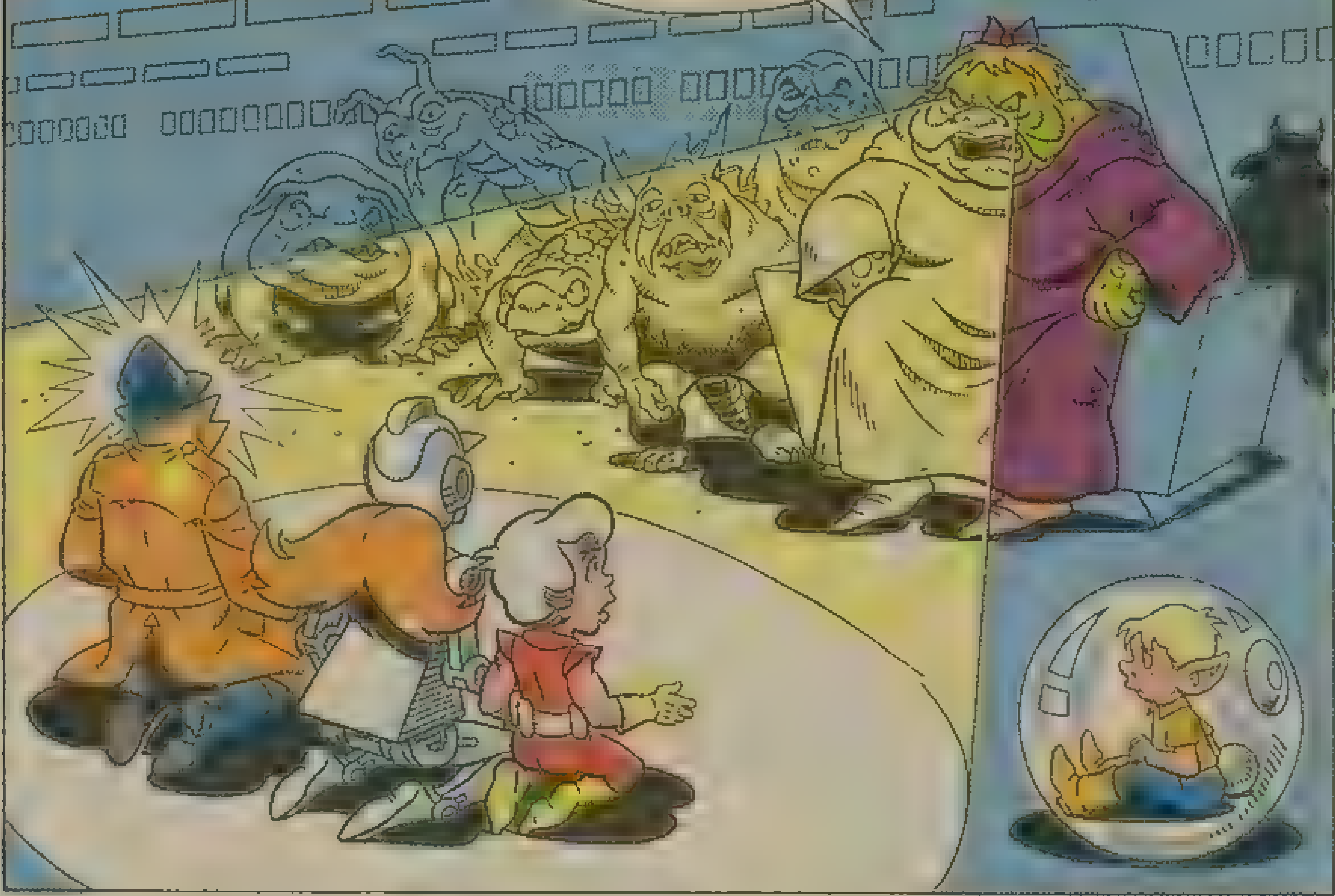






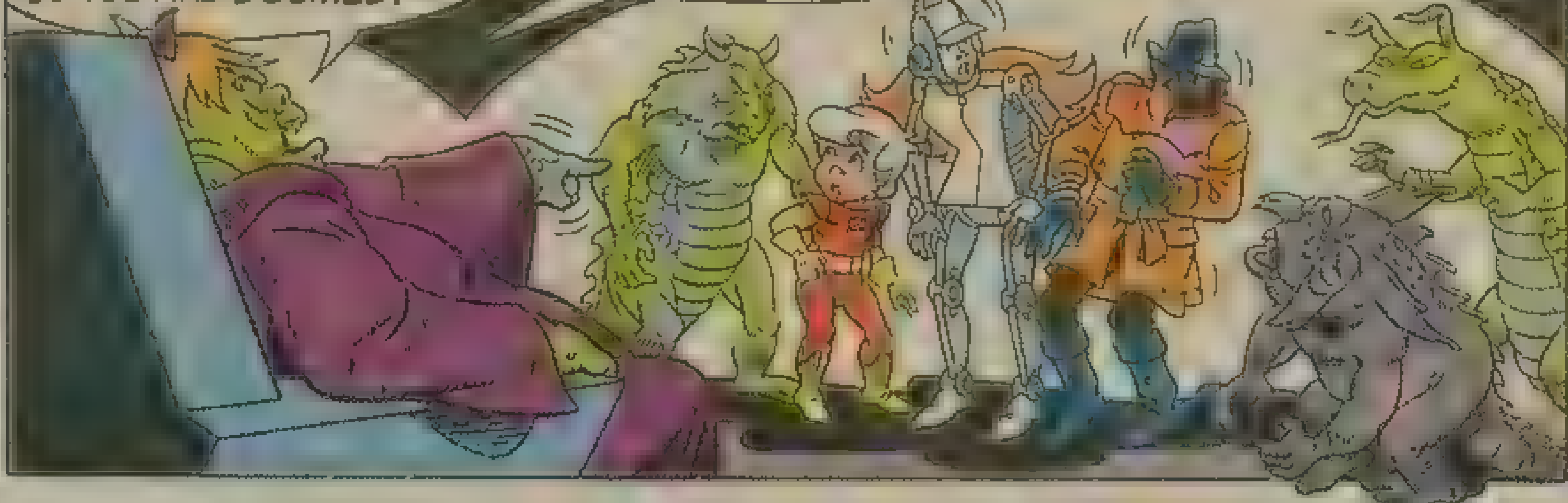
THEN I LOOKED UP...
AND FELL MADLY IN LOVE!"

WELCOME, TRAVELERS!
QUEEN REPUGNA
WELCOMES YOU!



BUT YOU HAVE FAILED
TO BRING ME THE RANSOM,
SO YOU ARE DOOMED!

SEE HOW MY PETS YEARN
TO PLAY WITH YOU!



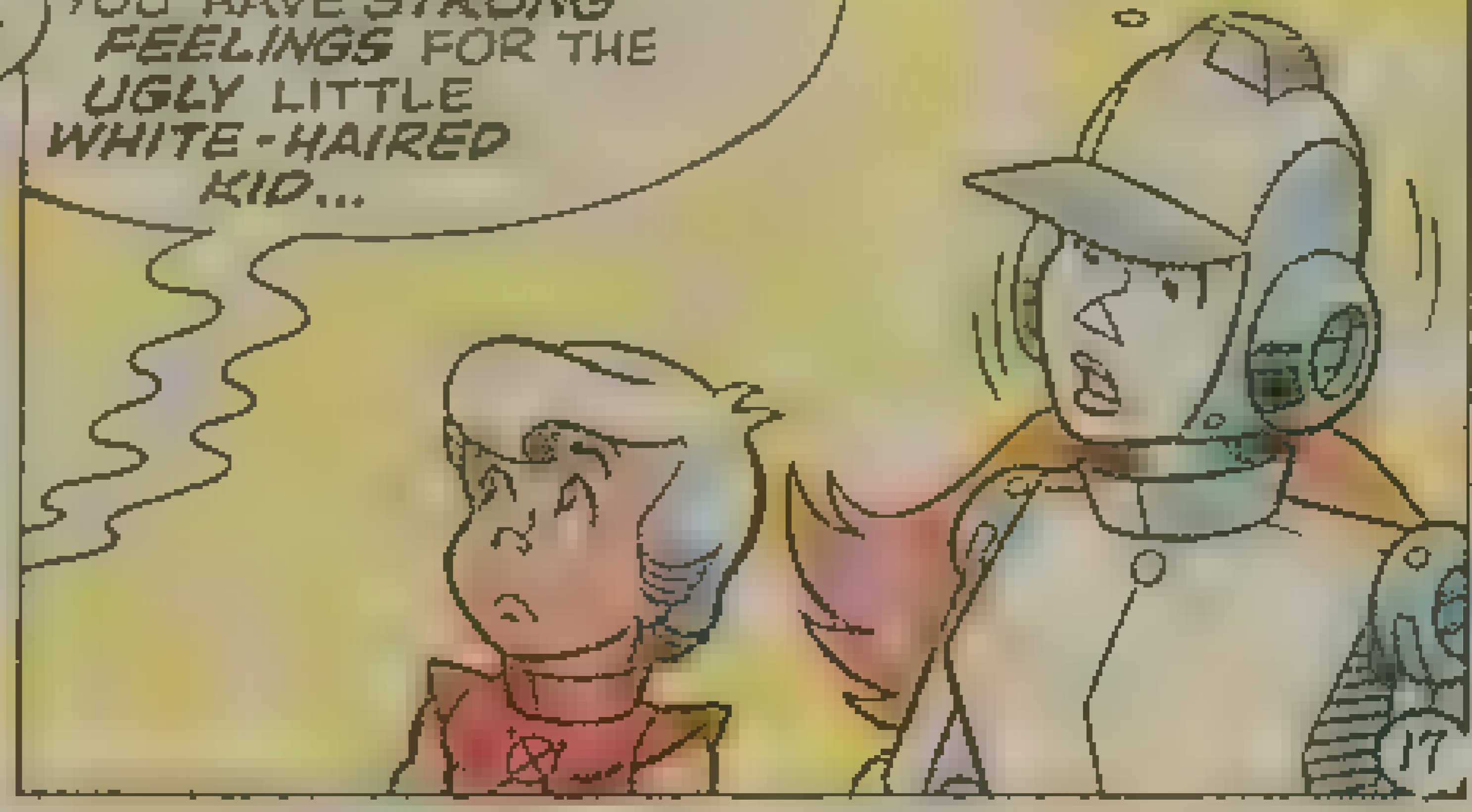
I HAVE CROSSED THE UNIVERSE
TO GET THE INVENTION! DO
YOU KNOW WHERE
IT IS!?

LET
ME
READ
YOUR
THOUGHTS!

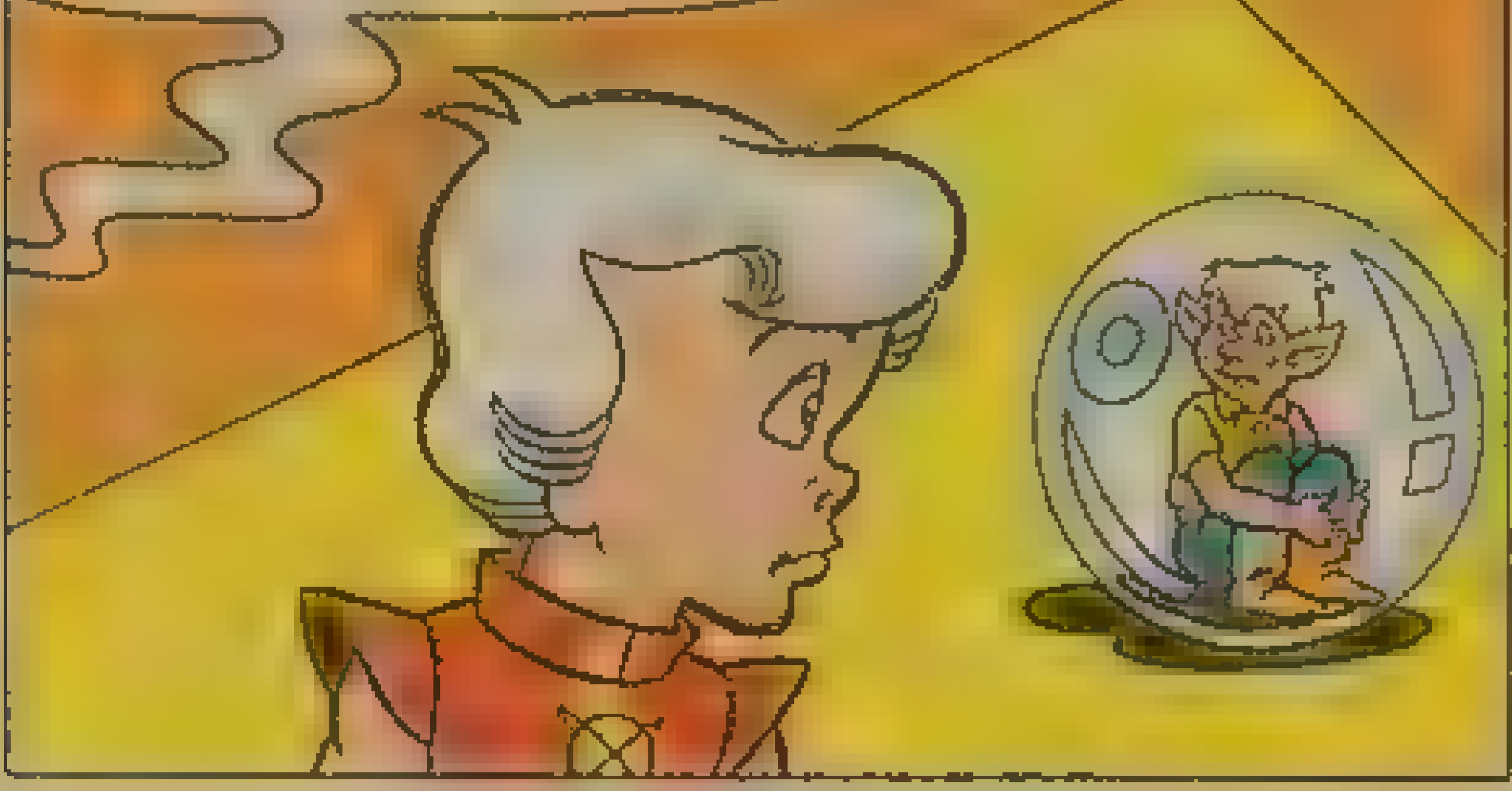


YOU ARE A ROBOT.
WHO CARES WHAT YOU
THINK... EXCEPT... WAIT...
YOU HAVE STRONG
FEELINGS FOR THE
UGLY LITTLE
WHITE-HAIRED
KID...

UGLY?



...WHO THINKS OF FINDING HIS
LONG-LOST PARENTS... AND
OF RESCUING MY HOSTAGE
AND ESCAPING!



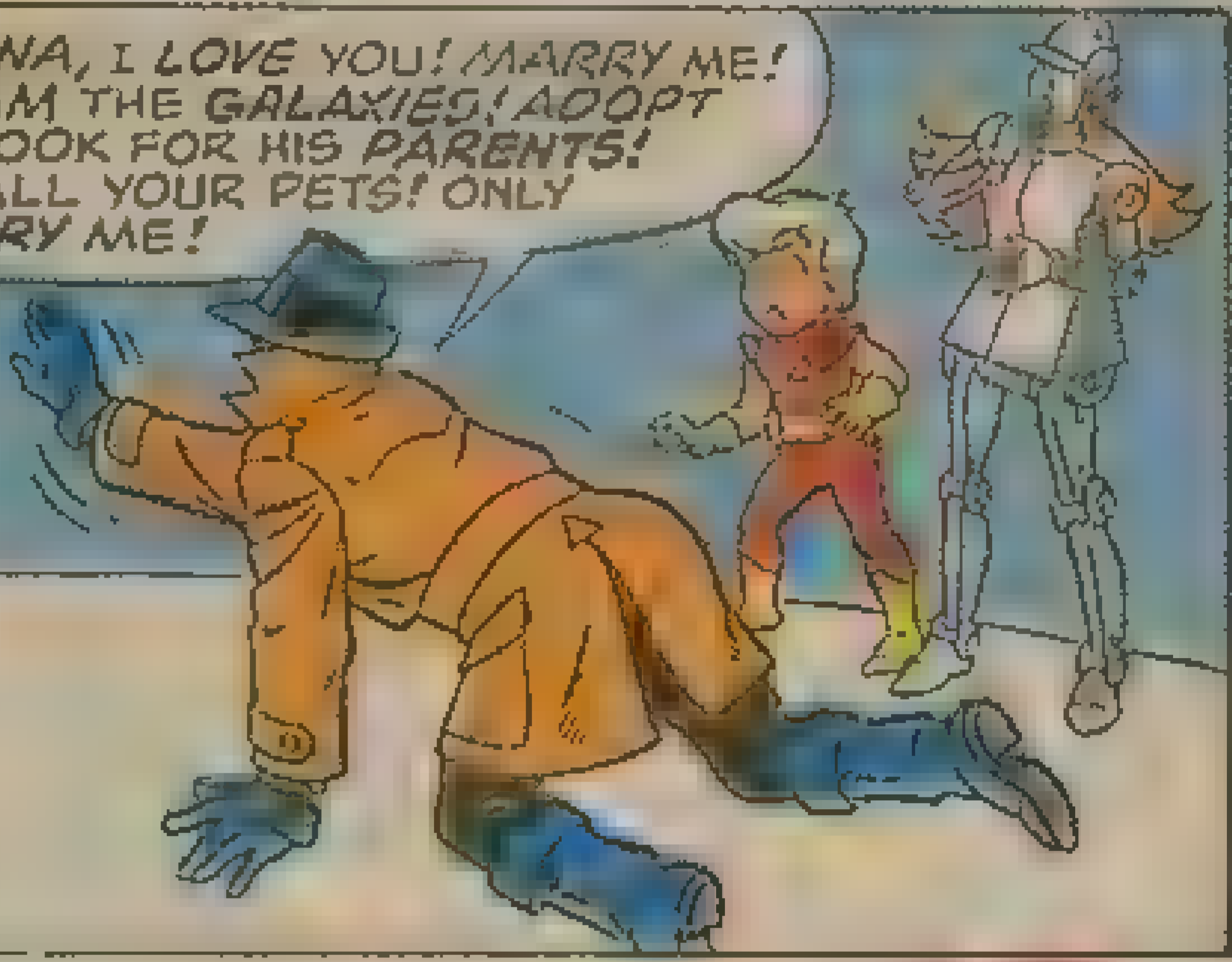
AND THIS
LAST FOOL...



...HAS THOUGHTS I
HAVE NEVER...
EVER...



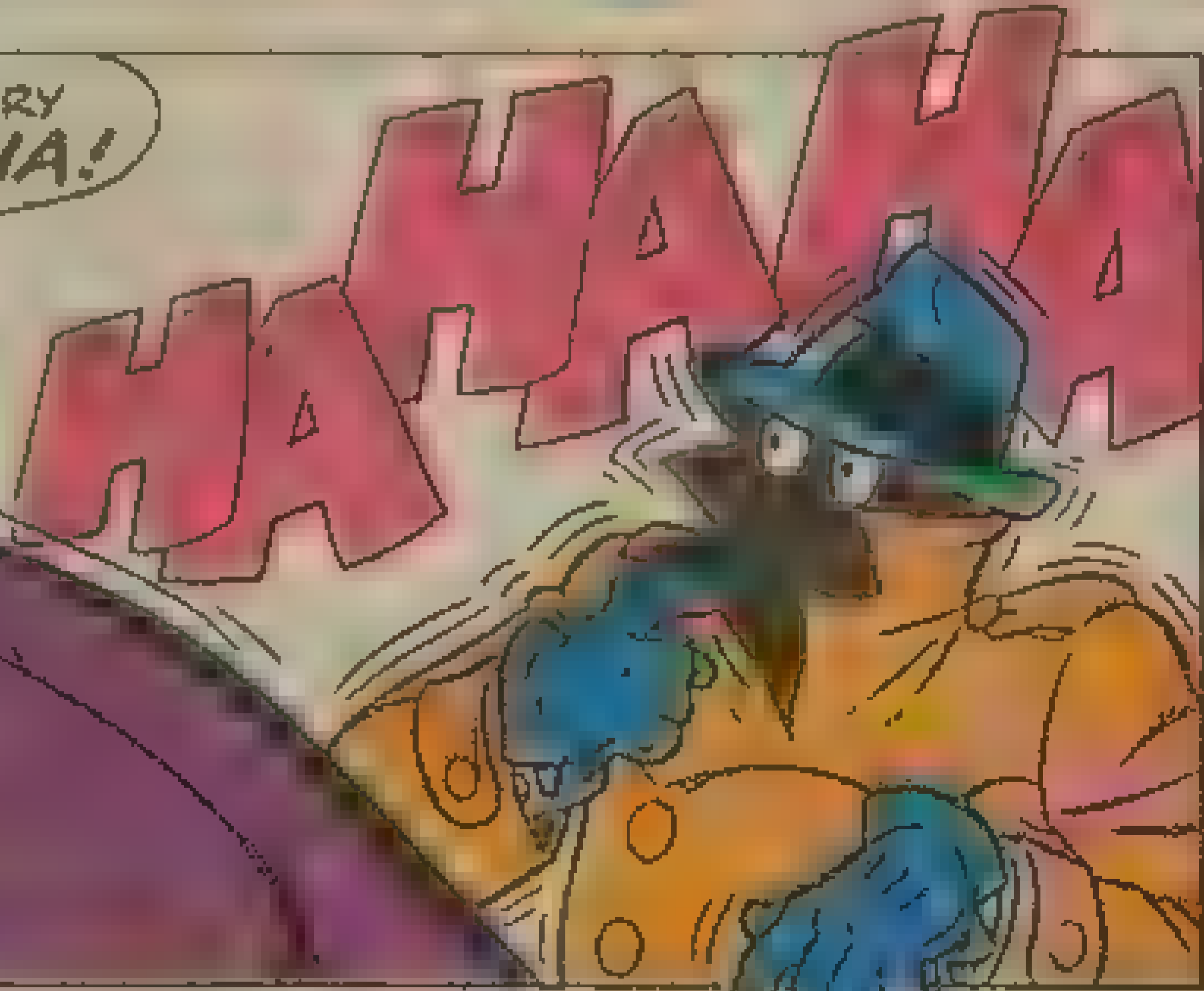
OH, REPUGNA, I LOVE YOU! MARRY ME!
WE'LL ROAM THE GALAXIES! ADOPT
TERRY! LOOK FOR HIS PARENTS!
KEEP ALL YOUR PETS! ONLY
MARRY ME!



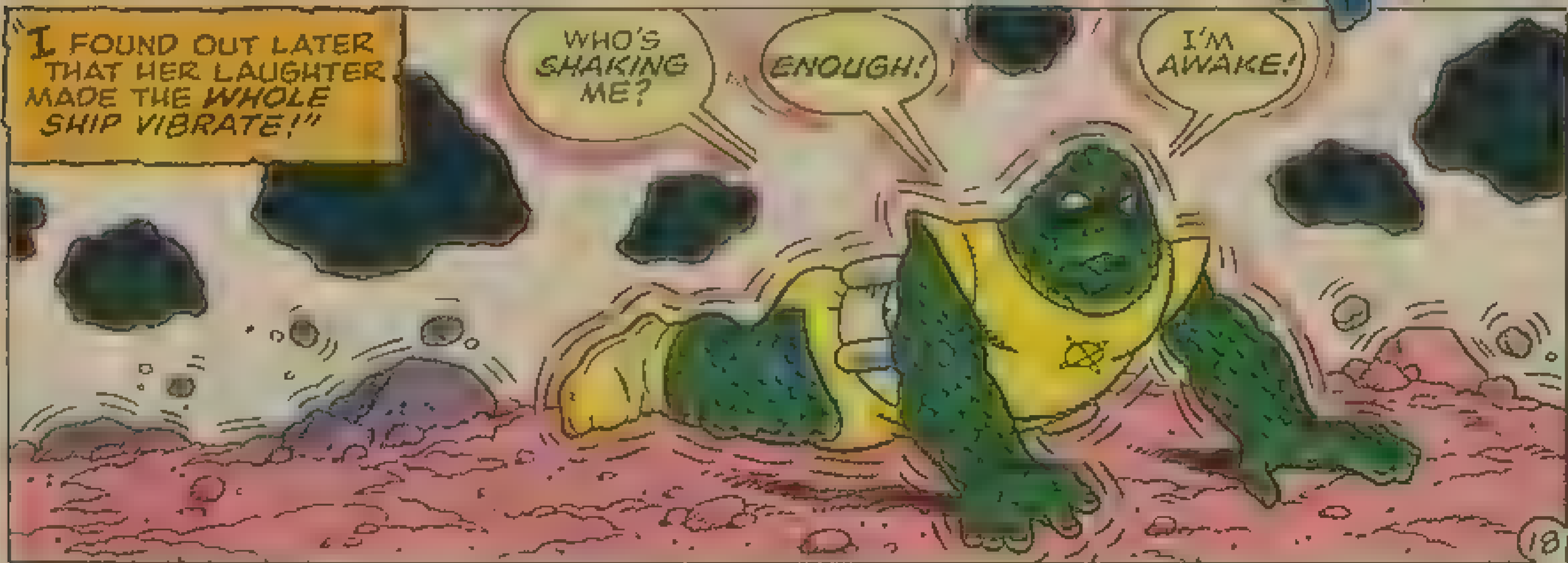
MARRY
YOU?
WA HA HA!



I'D SOONER MARRY
SQUIG! HA HA!



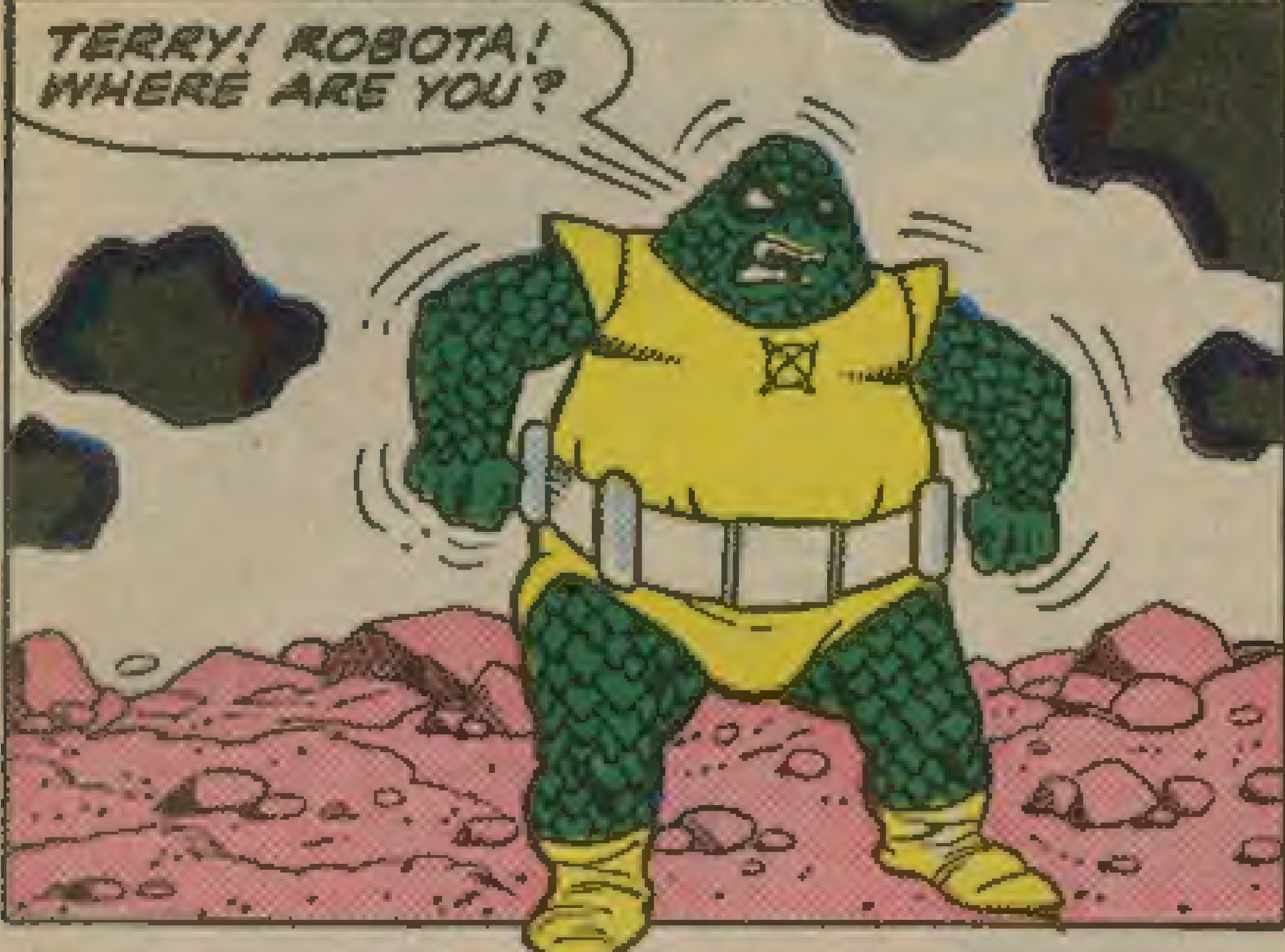
I FOUND OUT LATER
THAT HER LAUGHTER
MADE THE WHOLE
SHIP VIBRATE!"



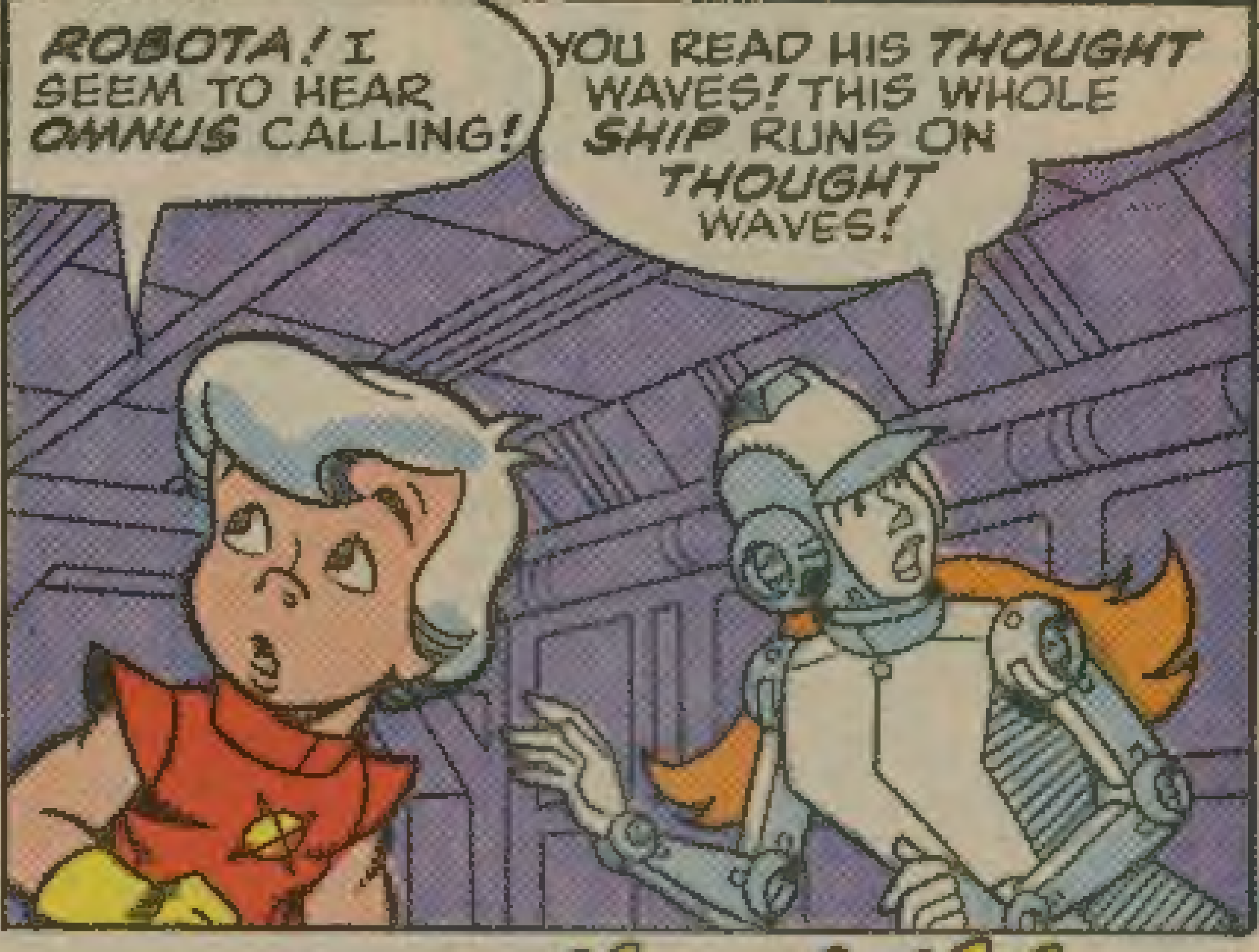
WHO'S
SHAKING
ME?

ENOUGH!

I'M
AWAKE!



TERRY! ROBOTA!
WHERE ARE YOU?



ROBOTA! I
SEEM TO HEAR
OMNUS CALLING!

YOU READ HIS THOUGHT
WAVES! THIS WHOLE
SHIP RUNS ON
THOUGHT
WAVES!



WE FOLLOWED
A THOUGHT
WAVE BEAM
TO FIND THIS
SHIP!

SHE KIDNAPPED
THE KID IN HIS
PLAY BUBBLE
BY THOUGHT
WAVE!

PLEASE, REPUGNA!
YOU'RE MY TYPE!
I'LL MAKE YOU
HAPPY!

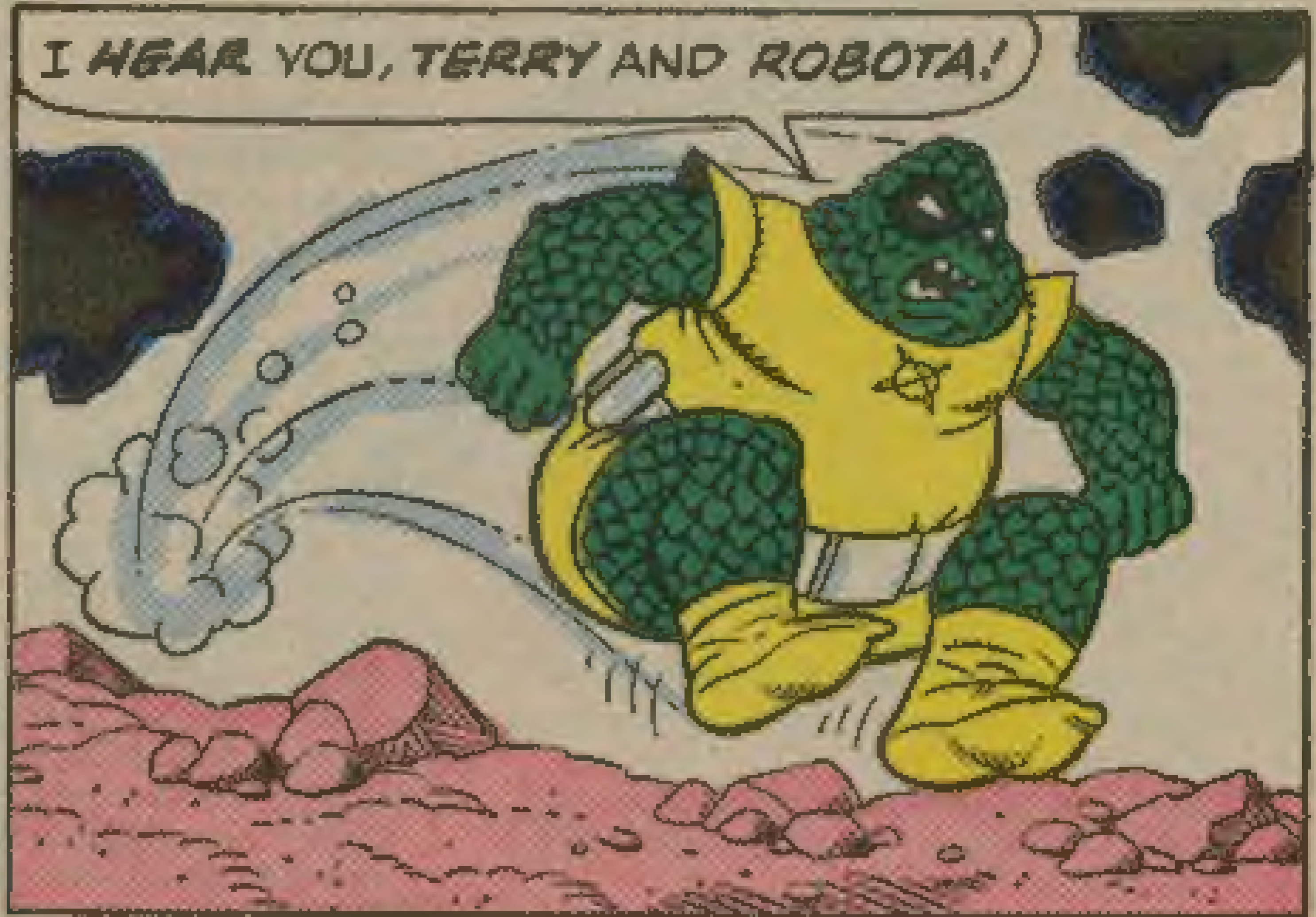
HAHAHAHA

WHILE SAM IS
DISTRACTING
HER, SEND A
MESSAGE TO
OMNUS!



OMNUS!
WE'RE INSIDE
THE ROCK!

WE
NEED
YOU!

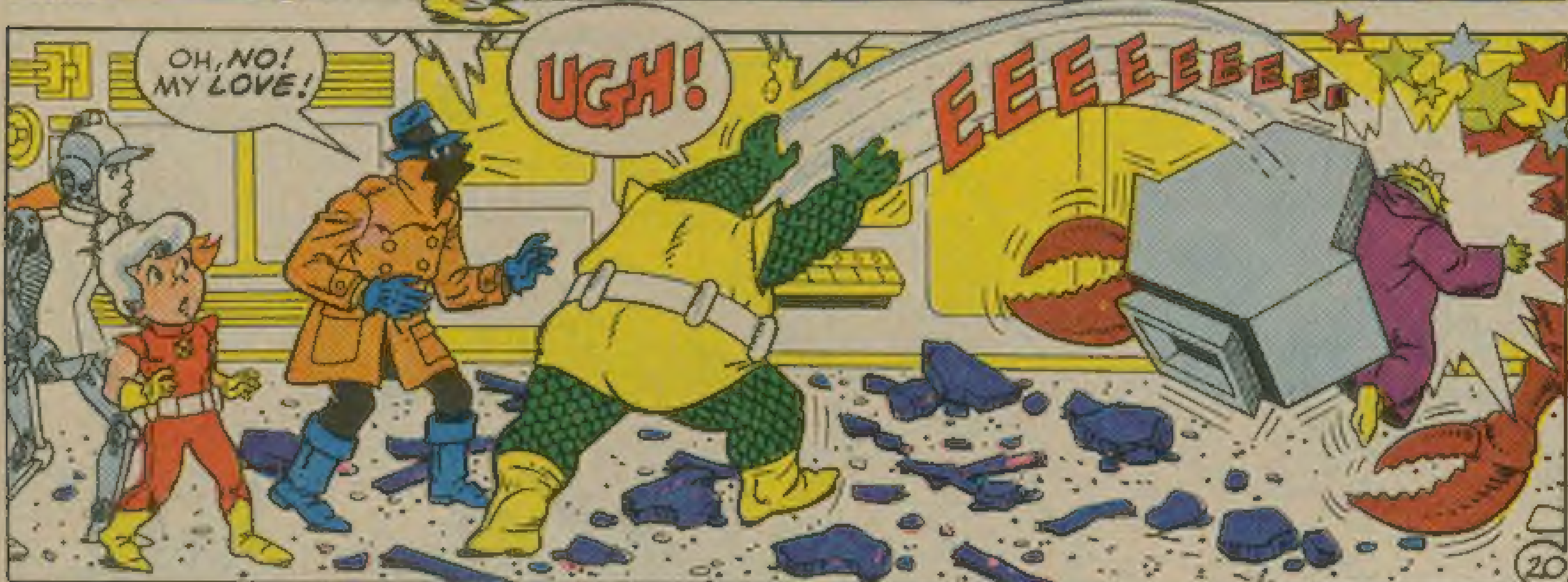
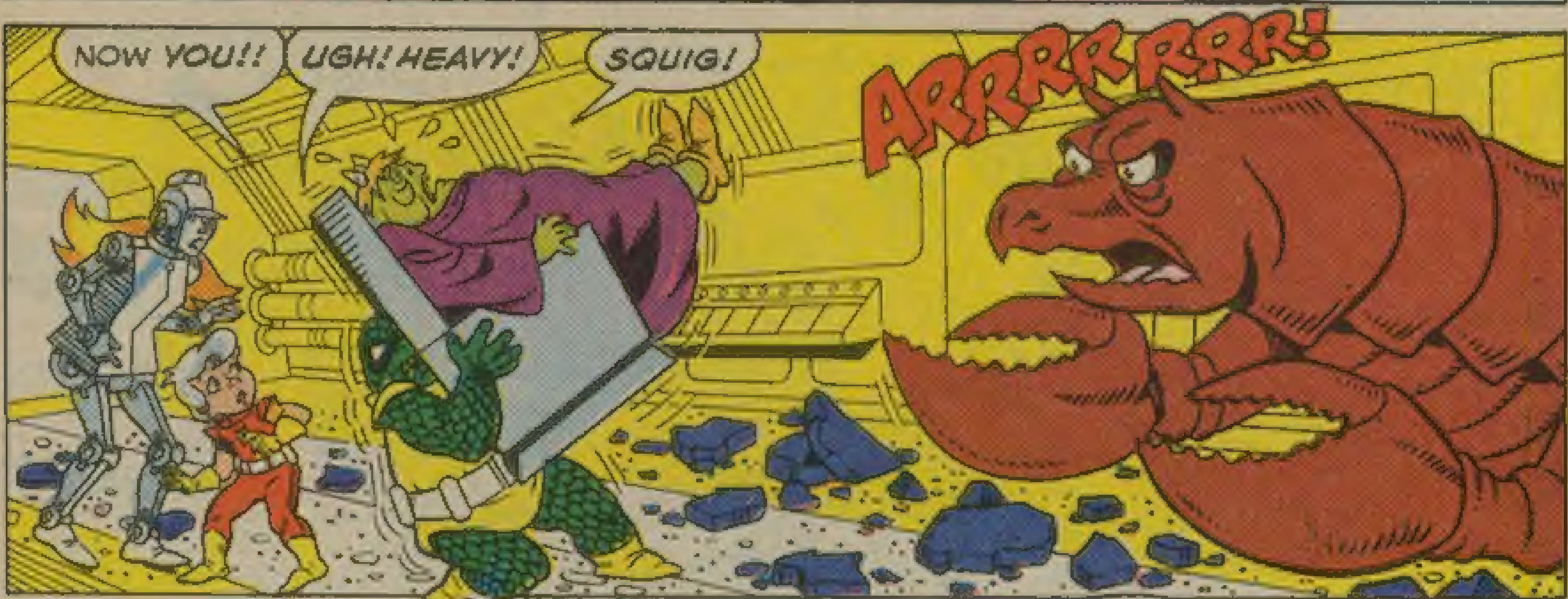
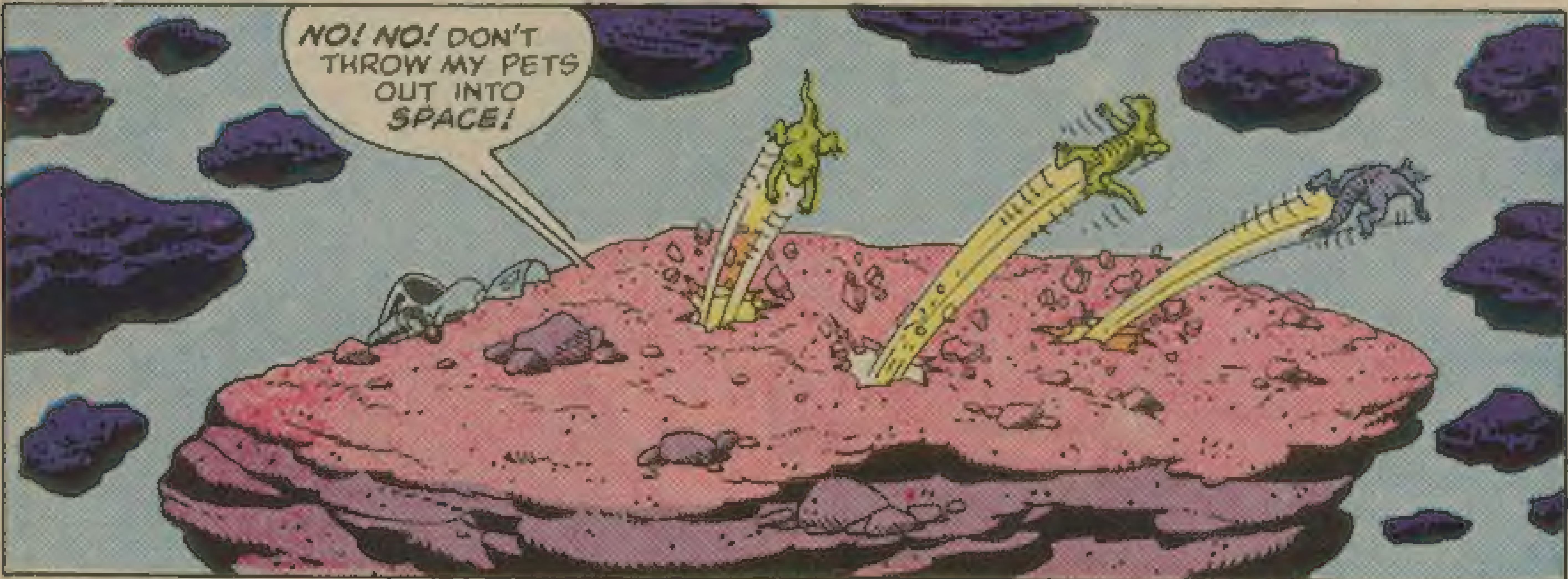


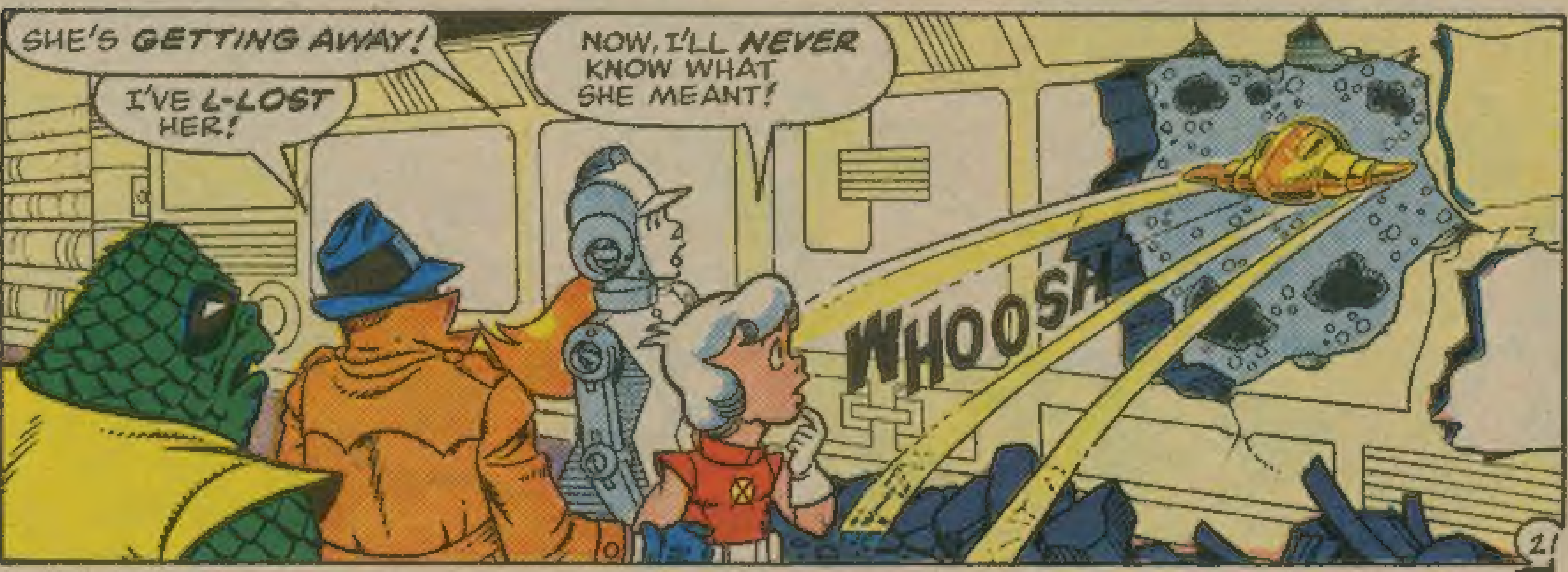
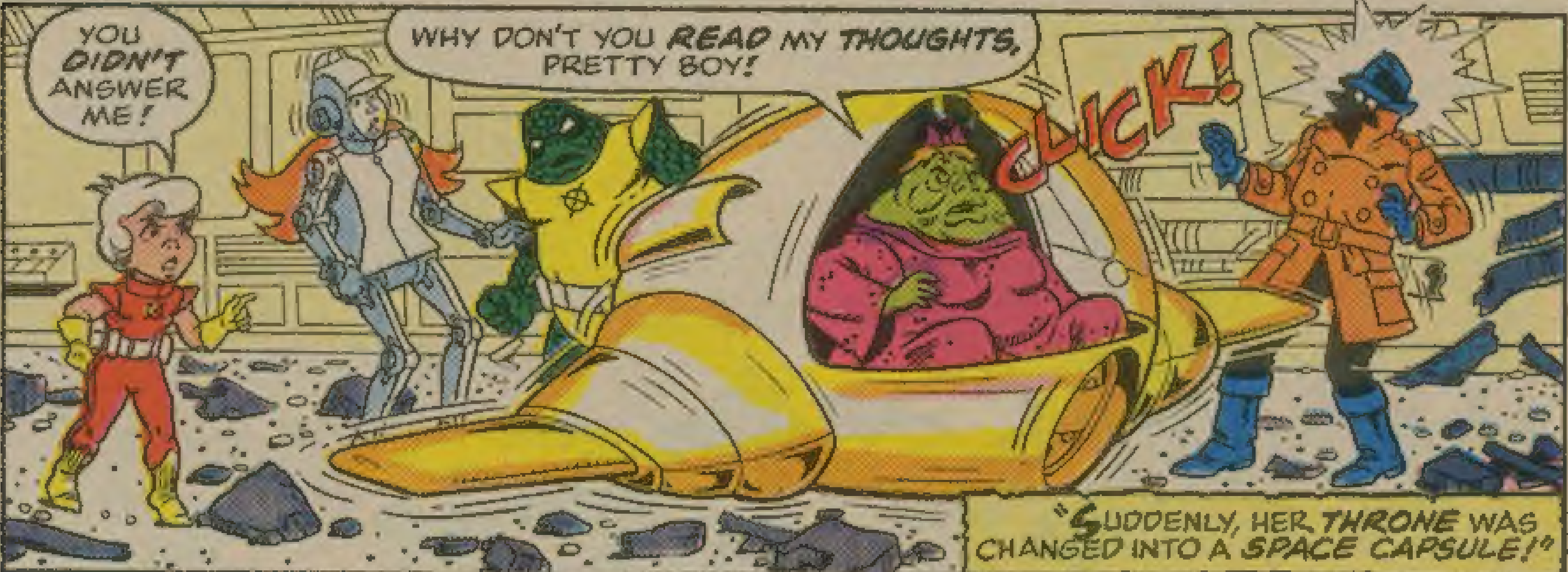
I HEAR YOU, TERRY AND ROBOTA!



MY SHIP! YOU'VE RUINED MY SHIP!

CRASH!





I KNOW, TERRY! I READ HER THOUGHTS!

YOU DID, ROBOTA?

WHAT DID SHE THINK OF ME?... URK!

YOU WILL LET TERRY TALK!

"ONCE AGAIN, I GOT THE GREEN GUY'S MESSAGE!"

OKAY! I'LL CALL PZ-42 AND TELL THEM THE GOOD NEWS!

HERE HE IS, PZ-42! SAY...ABOUT YOUR SECRET ANTI-GRAVITY INVENTION...

QUICK! TELL ME! TELL ME!

IT SEEMS SHE WAS ON ALPHATRAZ, THE PRISON PLANET!

AND?

AND THERE WERE TWO PEOPLE THERE WHO SPOILED HER EVIL PLANS! THEY TALKED ABOUT THEIR EVIL PLANS! THEY TALKED ABOUT THEIR SON...A KID NAMED PLANET TERRY!

M-MY PARENTS!

THEN, ON TO ALPHATRAZ! AND MAYBE THIS TIME WE'LL FIND THEM!

"HAVING SOLVED ANOTHER CASE, WE HEADED FOR BURF, DRAGGING THE KID BEHIND!"

FUNNY...THE ANTI-GRAVITY INVENTION WAS A FLOP! ONLY THING THAT CAME OF IT WAS THE CORDLESS YO-YO THE KID'S PLAYING WITH!

NO WONDER PZ-42 COULDN'T TELL REPUGNA!

NOW, TELL ME THE TRUTH, ROBOTA! WHAT DID SHE REALLY THINK OF ME?

SHE LOVED YOU, SAM!

"I KNEW IT! THEY ALL DO!"

NEXT ISSUE: ALPHATRAZ!!

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